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Paid-up Capital	£1,900,000
Reserved Fund	£ 300,000
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Bombay, 10th July, 1925.

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1. To receive the Central Board's Report, the Statement of the Affairs of the Bank made up to 30th June, 1925, and the Report of the Auditors.
2. To elect three Auditors and to fix their remuneration.

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Dated this 28th day of July, 1925.

KASHINATH D. KHOTE
HOOSEIN EBRAHIM
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THE BRADBURY MILLS, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that at the ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company, held on the 13th day of August, 1925, a dividend on the preference Shares for the half year ended 31st March, 1925, at 3½ per cent. per annum (free of Income Tax) has been declared and made payable at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 12/14, Outram Road, Fort, on and after MONDAY, the 24th day of August, 1925, between 11-30 a.m. and 3-30 p.m. (S. T.) to those Shareholders whose names stand on the Register of the Company on the 13th day of August, 1925.

By Order,
CURRIMBHOY EBRAHIM & SONS LTD.
Agents.
Bombay, 13th August, 1925.
C23867.

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the PARTNERSHIP hitherto subsisting between Parekh Ratilal Manilal and Parekh Mathuradas Manilal, carying on business in the name and style of Parekh Ratilal Manilal as Cloth Merchants at Cathedral Street is by mutual consent DISSOLVED from 5th of Shravan Vad S. Y. 1981 (9th August, 1925) and that the said Mathuradas Manilal has no concern whatsoever with the said business from that date and if any person has any dealings with him in respect of the said business thereafter the same will be at his own risk and I nor the said firm will be held responsible for the same.

All debts due to and owing by the said late firm will be received and paid respectively by the said Parekh Ratilal Manilal, who will contnine to carry on the said business.

Dated this 15th day of August, 1925.

PAREKH RATILAL MANILAL.
R1650.

TENDERS.

SALE OF WASTE.

TENDERS ARE INVITED for the purchase of all wastes produced in our Mill, during Sixteen months from 1st September, 1925, to 31st December, 1926, and will be accepted upto Wednesday, the 19th instant, on forms to be had from our mill on payment of Re. 0-8-0. A deposit of Rs. 200 must accompany each tender. We are not bound to accept the highest or any tender.

THE MORARJEE GOCULDAS SPG. AND WVG. CO., LTD.,
Soparibaug Road, Parel,
Bombay, No. 12.
C23865

PUBLIC NOTICES

THE INDIAN STEEL WIRE PRODUCTS, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

IT IS HEREBY NOTIFIED that the following Shares of the Indian Steel Wire Products, Limited, have, by a Resolution of the Board of Directors, dated the 30th July, 1925, been forfeited for non-payment of the calls due thereon.

Nos. of Shares:—151/190; 1024/1048; 3269/3363; 3996/4020; 4201/4258; 4339/4398; 4812/4821; 5500/5649; 6660/6759; 7125/7424; 7800/7849; 7935/8014; 8492/8541; 9097/9101; 11893/11897; 12628/12637, 12998; 13881/13890; 13941/13950; 14357/14361; 14442/14491; 15372/15381; 15487/15498; 15662/15761, 15762/15886; 15887/15901; 16114/16288; 17619/17623; 20843/20857; 21508/21524; 21870/21879; 21880/21899; 21950/21954, 22620/23019; 23020/23119; 23143/23192; 23233/23282; 23283/23307; 23358/23382; 23438/23457; 23958/23962; 24763/24772; and 24810/24819.

For the Indian Steel Wire Products, Ld.
LALUBHAI WALCHAND CAPADIA & CO.
Agents.
Bombay, 13th August 1925.
C23869

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

Suit No. 4874 of 1923.

WARRANT OF ATTACHMENT OF IMMOVEABLE PROPERTY under O. XXI. R. 54 of the Code of Civil Procedure.

	Rs. a. p.
Amount of taxed costs due under the decree	3672 0 0
Costs of execution when taxed.	

(1) JOSEPH ANTHONY GONSALVES and (2) ANNE WELHIMIN GONSALVES, widow and Executrix of the late John Vincent Gonsalves, both of Bombay, Christian Inhabitants, residing at Matarpa, khady, Mazagaon, without the Fort of Bombay. ... Plaintiffs.

vs.

HAJI ISMAIL UMER, of Bombay, Memon Mahomedan, Inhabitant, doing business at 211, Janjikar Street, outside the Fort of Bombay. ..... Defendant.

GEORGE V by the Grace of God of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith, Emperor of India.

To the Sherif of Bombay, Greeting:

Whereas the Plaintiffs abovenamed have applied for execution of the Decree of this Court, dated the 4th day of November, 1924, by attachment of the immoveable property described in the Schedule hereto.

NOW WE COMMAND you to cause to be made known and proclaimed in manner provided in this behalf by the Code of Civil Procedure, that (1) Ahmed Haji Ismail, (2) Ebrahim Haji Ismail, (3) Allimahomed Haji Ismail, (4) Mariambai, wife of Jusub Haji Gani, (5) Yamnabai Haji Ismail and (6) Rabiabai Haji Ismail, the heirs of the defendant abovenamed are hereby prohibited from transferring or charging the abovementioned property in any way, and all persons are also hereby prohibited from receiving the same from the said heirs by purchase, gift, or otherwise, until further order of this Honourable Court.

AND WE FURTHER COMMAND you to return this Warrant, on or before the 14th day of August, 1926, with an endorsement certifying the date and manner in which it has been executed or why it has not been executed.

Witness Sir NORMAN CRANSTOUN MACLEOD, Knight, Chief Justice at Bombay aforesaid, the 14th day of August 1925.

Seal of the High Court at Bombay.

P. B. MALABARI.
Prothonotary.
E. J. DAVAR.

The 14th day of August, 1925.
Messrs. RUSTOMJI & GINWALA.
Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

SCHEDULE.

All that piece or parcel of land or ground of the perpetual Fazandari tenure paying a permanent fixed annual rent of Rs. 6-8-0 to the Fazandar together with messuage tenement or dwelling houses standing thereon situate, lying and being at Matarpakhady Road Mazagaon, without the Fort of Bombay, in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 218 square yards or thereabouts and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under New No. 1624 and New Survey No. 1/3696, Cadastral Survey No. 325, Division Mazagaon and bounded as follows:—that is to say, on or towards the East by the property now or late of Dayaram Vithal Mehta and Sha Poonamchand and partly by the property now or late of Mahomed Ebrahim, on or towards the West by the property now or late of Joseph Anthony Gonsalves, on or towards the South by the property now or late of Khan Bahadur Hakim Mahomed Dayamkhan Bahadur Haji Abdul Rehman and on or towards the North by a passage and which said premises are assessed by the Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under E. Ward No. 5916 and Street No. 36.

C23873

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

CONVERSION OF GOVERNMENT OF INDIA BONDS 1925 TO 1928.

I. Holders of 5½ per cent War Bonds, 1925 can convert into either

(*a*) the 5 per cent Income-tax free loan 1945-55 at the rate of Rs. 100 of that loan *plus* a cash payment of Rs. 3 in exchange for each Rs. 100 (nominal value) of War Bonds, 1925; or

(*b*) a new issue of 5 per cent Ten Year Bonds, 1935, subject to income-tax at the rate of Rs. 100 of that loan *plus* a cash payment of Rs. 7 in exchange for each Rs. 100 (nominal value) of War Bonds 1925.

II. Holders of 6 per cent Bonds, 1926 can convert into either

(*a*) the 5 per cent income-tax free loan 1945-55 at the rate of Rs. 100 of that loan *plus* a cash payment of Rs. 1-8-0 in exchange for each Rs. 100 (nominal value) of 6 per cent Bonds 1926; or

(*b*) a new issue of 5 per cent Ten Year Bonds, 1935 subject to income-tax at the rate of Rs. 100 of that loan *plus* a cash payment of Rs. 5-8-0 in exchange for each Rs. 100 (nominal value) o 6 per cent Bonds, 1926.

III. Holders of 6 per cent Bonds, 1927 can convert into the 5 per cent income-tax free loan 1945-55 at the rate of Rs. 100 of that loan *plus* a cash payment of Rs. 2-4-0 in exchange for each Rs. 100 (nominal value) of 6 per cent Bonds, 1927.

IV Holders of 5½ per cent War Bonds, 1928 can convert into the 5 per cent income-tax free loan 1945-55 at the rate of Rs. 100 of that loan *plus* a cash payment of Rs. 5-8-0 in exchange for each Rs. 100 (nominal value) of 5½ per cent War Bonds, 1928.

Applications for conversion will be received from 13th July to 12th September 1925 inclusive. Interest at the higher rate payable on the Bonds tendered for conversion will be allowed in all cases upto date from which securities of new loan or Bonds issued in exchange carry interest at 5 per cent., viz. 15th October in former case and 15th September in latter. Brokerage will be allowed to recognised Bankers and Brokers at two annas per cent on applications received not later than 25th July and at one anna per cent on those received subsequently.

Full details may be ascertained from the Local Head Office of the Imperial Bank of India or its branches, from any Government treasury or Sub-treasury or from the Deputy Controller of the Currency, New Customs House, Bombay.

23660.

NOTICE.

WE hereby inform our clients that we have dismissed our Bill Collector DHARAMDAS PURSHOTAMDAS. No payment should in future be made to him.

VITHAL PURSHOTUM & SON.
Apollo Street, Fort, Bombay.
13th August, 1925.
R1635

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

SUIT NO. 5040 OF 1922.

CHATURBHUJ SHIVJI & CO., a firm, Merchants and Commission Agents, carrying on business at Katha Bazar, outside the Fort of Bombay. ..... Plaintiffs.

vs.

1. MAGANBHAI VAGHJIBHAI PATEL; (2) CHAMPAKLAL JAVERCHAND and (3) CHUNILAL JAVERCHAND, carrying on business at Pannang and Singhapore, under the name and style of Maganbhai Chunilal and Co., ... Defendants.

To,

MAGANBHAI VAGHJIBHAI PATEL.
The first defendant abovenamed.

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that the Plaintiffs abovenamed have filed the above suit against you and others to recover the sum of Rs. 6,075-13-6 with interest thereon at the rate of 10 annas per cent. per mensem from the 1st day of Kartak, S. Y. 1978 (31st October, 1921) and cost and that the hearing of the above suit is fixed on the 1st day of September, 1925, at 11-15 a.m. (S.T.) in the forenoon when you are summoned to appear in the above Court with your Witnesses and documents of evidence in person or by an advocate duly instructed by an attorney of this Hon'ble Court and able to answer all material questions relating to the suit and you are further requested TO TAKE NOTICE that in default of your appearance on the date abovementioned the suit will be heard and determined in your absence.

Dated this 14th day of August 1925.

N. C. DALAL and Co.,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.
C23870.

LEGAL NOTICES.

PROCLAMATION

PROCLAMATION.—BOMBAY TO WIT. —By virtue of a Precept to me directed I hereby proclaim and give notice, that the FOURTH SESSIONS of 1925 of Oyer and Terminer, and General Gaol Delivery will be holden before the High Court of Judicature at Bombay, at the Court House, on THURSDAY, the 10th day of September, 1925 at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the trial of all Treasons, Murders and other Felonies, Perjury, Trespasses and other Crimes, Misdemeanors, and Offences had, done or committed within the town and Island of Bombay, and the Limits thereof, and the Factories subordinate thereto; and also to inquire, hear and determine, in the like manner, all Treasons, Murders, Felonies, Forgeries, Perjuries, Crime, Extortions, Misdemeanors, Offences, Wrongs and Oppressions, had, done, or committed by any of His Majesty's British Subjects in any of the Territories which now are subject to or dependent up on the Government of Bombay, or within any of the Dominions of the Native Princes of India in alliance with the said Government.

And also, that at the same time and place will be holden a Session of Admiralty, for the trial of all Treasons, Murders, Piracies, Robberies, Felonies, Misdemeanors Offences and other Maritime Crimes whatsoever, done or committed on the High Seas and all murders crimes or offences had done or committed by any of our Native Indian Subjects within the dominions and the territories of the Shah of Persia to which the provisions of the Persian order in Council 1889 are applicable

And I hereby give notice to all persons bound to prosecute and give evidence at the above Sessions, or in any way concerned therein, that they are to attend at the time and place abovementioned, and not to depart without leave of the Court.

And I hereby give notice to all Justices of the Peace, Coroners, Escheators and also all Chief Constables and Bailiffs of the Town and Island of Bombay and the limits thereof, that they be then and there in their own persons, with their Rolls, Records, Indictments and other Remembrances to do those things which to their offices in that behalf appertain to be done.

Dated this 13th day of August, 1925.

H. MACNAGHTEN,
Sheriff of Bombay.
C23866

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.

ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.

(Suit No. 2375 of 1924.)

Sakharam Balshet Gandhi ..... Plaintiff.

vs.

Pandurang Gunanath and another ..... Defendants.

PURSUANT to the Decree Absolute for Sale made in the above Suit and bearing date the 9th day of March, 1925, the following immoveable properties will be sold by Public Auction under the directions of the Commissioner of this Honourable Court at the respective premises.

Lot No 1—on FRIDAY, 14th August, 1925, at 4 p.m. (S. T.)

Lot No. 2—on SATURDAY 15th August, 1925, at 4 p.m. (S. T.).

PARTICULARS.

LOT NO. 1.

The right, title and interest of the 1st defendant in all that piece or parcel of Government Quit and ground rent land or ground together with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate, lying and being at 2nd Carpenter Street, outside the Fort, in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, containing by admeasurement 195 square yards or thereabouts and registered into the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 407, New No. 7680, Old Survey No. 546 and New Survey No. 5291 and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under C Ward No., Street No. 6-8 and bounded, on the South by the property of Jagannath Shamjee, on the North by the property of Bhagwandas Gopaldas, on the West by the Sindhi Lane and on the East by the said 2nd Carpenter Street.

LOT NO. 2.

All the right title and interest of the 1st Defendant in all that piece or parcel of land or ground of pension and tax tenure, containing by admeasurement 6227 square yards or thereabouts registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 628, New No. 4553, Old Survey No. 325 and New Survey No. 1596, all which premises are situate at Parbhadevi Road, Lower Mahim, in the Registration Sub-district of Bombay, and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under C Ward No. 4466, Street No. 806 and bounded, on the East by a Public Road, on the West by the property of Manchubai, widow of Balgowandas Hargowandas, on the South by the property of the Church of N. S. D. Salvasdo and on the North by passage.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, application should be made at the Office of the said Commissioner or at the Office of Messrs. Nanu Hormasji & Co., Attorneys for the Plaintiff abovenamed at No. 35, Medows Street, Fort, Bombay.

Dated this 18th day of June, 1925.

R. B. Patel.
Ag. Commissioner.
23700.

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To-morrow Sunday Three Shows only at 7; 8-45 & 10-30 P.M. (S.T.)

Sunday being the Anniversary Day of the late Dr. Dadabhoy Naoroji, we have allowed the use of our Cinema Hall for the Anniversary Celebrations on Sunday evening. Therefore on Sunday—Tomorrow—our First Show will commence at 7 P.M. (S.T.) Then will follow the regular 8-45 and 10-30 P.M. (S.T.) Shows.

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AUCTION SALE OF EMPTY DEELWOOD CASES.

On MONDAY, the 17th instant at 4 p.m. (S. T.) Messrs. BENNETT & Co., are instructed to sell by public auction at Parel in the compound of Seth Gordhandas Sunderdas Medical College (old Government House, Parel) one lot about 175 empty deelwood cases. Cash will be required at the time of sale.

TO-DAY SATURDAY, the 15th August 1925, at 3-30 p.m. (S. T.) Messrs. BENNETT & Co., will sell by Public Auction at their rooms a quantity of grey and coloured piece-goods, etc.

On account of the Underwriters:—

2 Dozens English Hats.

1 case Khaki Blanco (41 dozens).

1 Keg Mercin Glaze powder.

By order of the concerned:—

By order of Income Tax Officer (Market

25 pieces white shirtings (3 birds-40 yards a piece.)

Ward).

15 Reams Flint Paper.

AT 2-30 P. M. (S. T.)

1 second-hand rubber-tyred victoria.

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By order of the concerned.

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AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE LANDED PROPERTY, SITUATE AT THE BAPU KHOTE STREET, (JAMELI MOHOLLA.)

Messrs. MENESSE AND CO., will sell by Public Auction on WEDNESDAY, the 26th August, 1925, at 5 p.m. (S.T.) on the premises under instructions from Messrs. Rele and Co., Attorneys for the Receiver appointed in High Court Suit No. 613 of 1925 pursuant to the Order in the said Suit dated the 11th day of August, 1925, free from all incumbrances the following properties.

All that piece or parcel of quit and Ground Rent land or ground together with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate, lying and being at Bapu Khote Street, in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay in the Island of Bombay, containing by admeasurement one hundred and eighty-four square yards or thereabouts and registered in the Books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 1053, New No. 8232, Old Survey No. 2086 and New Survey No. 752 and Cadastral No. 3228 of Bhuleshwar Division and in the Books of the Collector of Municipal Assessment under C. Ward No. 5984 and Street Nos. 168-172 and bounded as follows:—that is to say, on or towards the East by Bapu Khote Street, on or towards the West by the property of Gora Gandhi, on the North by the property of Nathubai Nagindas on or towards the South by a Sweeper's passage and beyond that by the property of Mowji Manji.

For further particulars and conditions of Sale apply to Messrs. RELE & CO., Attorneys for the Receiver at their Office at 43, Churchgate Street Readymoney Mansion, Fort, Bombay or to the undersigned.

AUCTION SALE OF THE VALUABLE LANDED PROPERTY SITUATE AT THE CAWASJEE PATEL TANK ROAD (NEAR MADHAV BAUG.)

Messrs. MENESSE & CO. will sell by Public Auction on FRIDAY, the 28th August, 1925, at 5 p.m. (S.T.) on the premises under instructions from Messrs. Rele and Co. Attorneys for the Received appointed in High Court Suit No. 613 of 1925 pursuant to the Order in the Suit dated the 11th day of August 1925 free from all incumbrances the following properties.

All that piece or parcel of Quit Ground Rent land or ground together with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon situate, lying and being at Cowasji Patel Tank Road, outside the Fort in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay and assessed by the Collector of Land Revenue under Old Nos. 2219. 2217, New Nos. 9293, 9299, Old Survey Nos. 437-438 and New Survey Nos. 5176-5177 and Cadastral No. 3121 of Bhuleshwar Division and assessed by the Collector of Municipal Taxes under C Ward No. 6499, Street Nos. 100 and 104 and containing by admeasurement 182/8/9 square yards or thereabouts as appears from the Collector's Bills and bounded as follows:—that is to say, on or towards the East by the property of Purshotamdas Pranjivandas, on or towards the West by the property of Narayan Sakharam, on or towards the North by the Sweeper's passage and on or towards the South by the aforesaid Cowasji Patel Tank Road.

For further particulars and conditions of Sale apply to Messrs. Rele and Co. Attorneys for the Receiver at their office at 43 Churchgate Street Readymoney Mansion, Fort, Bombay or to the undersigned.

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Messrs. GANDHI and CO., Auctioneers will under instructions from Messrs. Thakordas and Daru Attorneys for the Trustees of the Trust of Sheth Tribhovandas Venidas Deceased in pursuance of the power of sale reserved to the said Trustees by the last will and Testament of the said Tribhovandas Venidas Deceased, dated the 26th day of August, 1905, sell by Public Auction the undermentioned Immoveable property on Saturday the 15th August, 1925, at 4-30 p.m. (S.T.), on the premises.

DESCRIPTION OF THE PROPERTY.

All that piece or parcel of land or ground with messuage tenement dwelling house and premises standing thereon situate on Northern side of Bhuleshwar Road, in the Registration Sub-District formerly of Bhuleshwar (now of Bombay) in the Island of Bombay Containing by admeasurement 173-1/9 square yards or thereabouts and registered in the Books of the Collector of pension and Tax (Land Revenue) under Old No. 89 and New No. 747, Old Survey No. 39 and New Survey No. 607 Cadastral Survey No. 2842 of Bhuleshwar Division and in the Books of the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under Old No. 121 and now under C Ward 5103, street No. 185-187-189 and bounded as follows that is to say, on or towards the East formerly by the house of Shah Manchharam Pitamber and now by the property of Chhotalal Dalsukhram, on or towards the west formerly by the Chawl or range of Building of Kalliandas Kirparam, now by the property belonging to Gordhandas Ranchhodas Bhagat, on or towards the North formerly by the house of Kalliandas Kirparam and now by the property belonging to said Gordhandas Ranchhoddas Bhagat on or towards the South by the said Bhuleshwar Road.

For further particulars and conditions of sale please apply to Messrs. Thakordas and Daru, Attorneys for the Trustees of the Trust of Sheth Tribhovandas Venidas, Deceased, at No. 40-42 Nanabhai Lane, Hornby Road, Fort, or to the undersigned.

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On SUNDAY, the 16th day of August, 1925, at 4-30 p.m. (S.T.)

PARTICULARS, LOT NO. 1.

All that piece or parcel of quit and ground rent land or ground together with the messuage tenement or dwelling house standing thereon, situate at Dontad Second Row or Bhuj Moholla, outside the Fort of Bombay, in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, admeasuring 93 square yards or thereabouts, registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under Old Nos. 1482, 1482, New Survey No. 7240, Old Survey No. 2595 and New Survey No. 2928 and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under B Ward No. 2131 and Street Nos. 331-335 and bounded on or towards the East by a passage, on or towards the West by the said Dontad Second Row (now known as Jackeria Musjid Street), on or towards the North by the property of Cassum Nurmahomed and on or towards the South by the property of Haji Nurmahomed Oosman.

On MONDAY, the 17th day of August, 1925, at 4-30 p.m. (S.T.)

LOT NO. 2.

All that piece or parcel of permanent Fazandari land or ground situate at Old Nagpada Cross Lane outside the Fort of Bombay, in the Registration Sub-District of Bombay, admeasuring 87 and 7/9 square yards or thereabouts, registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under New Survey No. 2991 together with the messuage, tenement or dwelling house standing there on and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under B Ward No. 3190 and Street Nos. 103-111 and which said premises are bounded on or towards the North by Old Nagpada Cross Lane, on or towards the South by a Sweepers Passage, on or towards the East by Old Nagpada Cross Lane and on or towards the West by a Sweepers Passage.

For further particulars and conditions of sale apply Messrs. Edgelow Gulabchand Wadia and Co., Attorneys for the vendors at their Office 137, Esplanade Road, Fort, Bombay, or to the undersigned.

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22nd "	RAZMAK	NALDERA x	15,993
29th "	MOREA		10,911
5th Sept.	RAZMAK	MACEDONIA*	11,089
12th "	KAISAR-I-HIND		16,227
19th "	RAZMAK	NARKUNDA*	16,100
26th "	RANPURA		16,585
3rd Oct.	RAZMAK	MONGOLIA x	16,504
10th "	CHINA		7,952
17th "	RAZMAK	MOOLTAN x	20,847
24th "	RAWALPINDI		16,100
31st "	RAZMAK	MALWA *	10,941
7th Nov.	RANCHI		16,100
14th "	RAZMAK	MALOJA x	20,837
21st "	KAISAR-I-HIND		11,430
28th "	RAZMAK	MANTUA *	10,902
5th Dec.	RANPURA		16,100
12th "	RAZMAK	NALDERA x	15,953
19th "	DEVANHA		8,151
26th "	RAZMAK	MOREA *	10,919
1926.			
2nd Jan.	RAWALPINDI		16,100
9th "	RAZMAK	NARKUNDA x	16,227
16th "	RANCHI		16,100
23rd "	RAZMAK	MACEDONIA*	11,089
30th "	KAISAR-I-HIND.		11,430
6th Feb.	RAZMAK	MOOLTAN x	20,847
13th "	RANPURA		16,585
20th "	RAZMAK	MALWA *	10,941
27th "	RAJPUTANA		16,100
6th March	RAZMAK	MALOJA x	20,837
13th "	RAWALPINDI		16,100
20th "	RAZMAK	MANTUA*	10,902
27th "	RANCHI		16,100
31st "	CHINA†		7,952
3rd April	RAZMAK	NALDERA x	15,993
10th "	KAISAR-I-HIND		11,430
17th "	RAZMAK	MOREA	10,918
24th "	RANPURA		16,585
1st May	RAZMAK	NARKUNDAx	16,227
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x Through steamers from Australia, have limited accommodation for passengers from India.

*Through steamers from China, have limited accommodation for passengers from India.

† S. S. "China", 31st March, extra Steamer at following reduced rates:—

1st Saloon to London £ 80, £ 70, & £ 60.
" " " Marseilles " 72, " 62, & " 56.
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" " " Marseilles " 50, " " 48.

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BRITISH INDIA SAILINGS

Bombay to Port Said and Plymouth

Date about	Steamers	Tons
17th Sept.	WARFIELD*	6,060
12th Nov.	MERKARA	8,285
26th "	MADURA	8,975
10th Dec.	MARGHA	8,278
1926		
7th Jan.	Wakefield*	6,060
30th "	Hatimura*	6,566
15th Feb.	Cargo Steamer	
18th March	Pomala	8,441
8th April	Margha	8,278
29th "	Dumana	8,427
20th May	Warfield*	6,060

* Cargo Vessels only; will not convey passengers.

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P. AND O. SAILINGS TO COLOMBO, STRAITS, CHINA AND JAPAN.

Date.	Steamers.	Tons.	Connecting at Colombo for Australia with
22nd August	MIRZAPORE *	6,715	
1st Sept.	SOUDAN	6,696	CATHAY
15th "	SICILIA	6,813	MALOJA
10th Nov.	SOUDAN	6,696	NARKUNDA
24th "	SICILIA	6,813	CHITRAL
22nd Dec.	DELTA	7,622	MONGOLIA

*Cargo Vessels only; proceed to Japan via Singapore

BRITISH INDIA SAILINGS.

TO AFRICA, KARACHI, PERSIAN GULF, TUTICORIN, COLOMBO, MADRAS, CALCUTTA AND RANGOON.

Date about	Steamers.	Destination.
19th Aug.	BARODA	Busreh via Karachi & P. Gulf Ports.
19th "	KHANDALA	East & S Africa.
21st "	VITA	Busreh via Karachi

The sailings for Karachi via Kathiawar on SATURDAYS and MONDAYS have meantime been suspended, but steamers will leave for Karachi on WEDNESDAYS and FRIDAYS as usual. The "CHAKLA" will sail for Karachi direct on Saturday the 5th September and thereafter every Saturday via Kathiawar.

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THE WEATHER.

RAINFALL AT BOMBAY.

STATIONS.	24 hrs. to 8 a.m. of 14th Aug. 1925.	Total since 1st June, 1925.	June 1st to 14th Aug. 1923	June 1st to 14th Aug. 1924
	In. Ct.	In. Ct.	In. Ct.	In. Ct.
Colaba Point	0 96	41 66	56 45	25 78
Fort	0 40	..	57 68	28 69
Esplanade	..	..	..	..
J. J. Hospital	0 33	44 38	54 15	29 33
Cumbala Hill				
Kemp & Cy.	..	..	..	..
Bom. Vety. Col				
Parel.	..	..	..	..

METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, COLABA

Bombay, 13th Aug.

Means of observations taken at 8 a.m., 10 a.m. 2 p.m., 4 p.m., and 10 p.m.

Barometer corrected to 32 deg. Fahr 29.735 inches.

Temperature of Air	81.7 degrees.
Wet Bulb Thermometer	77.6 "
Dew Point	75.8 "
Relative humidity of Air	83%
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky cloudy equal to 10)	5.6 "
Maximum temperature of Air	86.3 "
Minimum do. do.	78.4 "
General direction of Wind from midnight to midnight	WSW.
Movement of Wind from midnight to midnight	147 miles.
Fall of Rain	0.62 inches
Total fall during month	5.08 "
Do. do year	44.08 "
Additional fall of rain up to 10 a.m. of 14th Aug.	0.35 "

SUN, MOON AND TIDES AT BOMBAY.

Day of Week.	Day of Month.	HIGH WATER Bombay Mean Time.	HIGH WATER Depth on Still.	Day of Month.	LOW WATER Bombay Mean Time.	LOW WATER Depth on Still.
	Aug.	h. m.	ft in.	Aug.	h. m.	ft in
Fri	14	8 43	25 2	14	1 12	18 8
		20 0	23 9		14 30	21 4
Sat.	15	2 24	28 7	15	8 11	17 4
		14 49	28 1		20 59	17 1
Sun	16	10 11	26 6	16	2 55	18 0
		21 42	24 9		15 59	20 2
M	17	10 4	27 2	17	3 35	17 5
		22 20	25 5		16 32	19 5
Tu	18	11 10	27 8	18	4 10	17 0
		22 55	26 1		17 2	18 8
W	19	11 39	28 2	19	4 46	16 5
		23 29	26 6		17 32	18 2
Thu	20	12 6	28 4	20	5 17	16 3
					18 1	17 8

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

		a.m.	p.m.
August 15	(Sat.)	6h. 20m.	7h. 7m.
August 16	(Sun.)	6h. 20m.	7h. 6m.
August 17	(Mon.)	6h. 20m.	7h. 6m.
August 18	(Tue.)	6h. 20m.	7h. 5m.
August 19	(Wed.)	6h. 21m.	7h. 4m.

CO-OPERATIVE HOUSING SOCIETIES.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—The controversy carried on in the columns of your popular paper by two members of the Kanara Gowd Saraswat Co-operative Housing Society of Andheri must have undoubtedly aroused much interest and surprise in all Co-operative Housing Societies. I am a member of the Managing Committee of the Saraswat Co-operative Housing Society of Santa Cruz and though not directly concerned in the matter, yet for the good name of the Co-operative Housing Movement in general I feel obliged to lay before the public some general facts.

On the face of it it must appear to every person an almost incredible thing that notices to vacate given by tenants can ever be refused at all and the tenant tied down to his tenement indefinitely or at the sweet will and pleasure of Managing Committees. In the Society to which I have the honour to belong two months' notice from tenants is always accepted and not one or two but dozens of tenants have left whenever they chose to do so and it never occurred to anybody in our Society that the tenant vacating should be called into the witness box to show cause why he should be allowed to go away. I cannot conceive what liberty will remain to an individual if he is not allowed even to live where he likes according to his pleasure. It is a happy thing that among all the Societies in Bombay the Kanara Gowd Saraswat Housing Society is the one solitery instance where such incredible oppression exists. In our Society on the other hand, the idea is that the Society exists for the benefit of the members and not the members for the Society. Therefore as far as i possible outgoing tenants are even paid back the value of the shares held by them if they so desire and if funds permit. Of course there have been numerous vacancies in our Society which have caused some loss to the Society. But the first principle of Co-operation is that any loss sustained by the Society should be borne by all members of the Society and not that one man should bear the loss for the sake of the others as presumed by the Managing Committee of the Kanara Gowd Saraswat Society of Andheri. Such an idea is not Co-operation but a travesty of it and, I am sure, if the Kanara Gowd Saraswat Society's view point is accepted by the Registrar or the Government it will mean a death blow to the cause of the Co-operative Housing Movement itself.—Yours, etc.,

MEMBER.

Managing Committee, Saraswat Co-operative Housing Society, Santa Cruz

Santa Cruz, Aug. 7.

BOMBAY COTTON MARKET

BOMBAY MARKETS.

COTTON.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

Aug. 14.

A sharp drop of 48 to 46 points has been reported to-day in New York futures. The market eased on long liquidation on reports of rains in Texas. Liverpool has been reported 2 points higher.

Messrs. Umrigar and Vesugars' New York friends Messrs. A. Norden and Co. cable under date 13th inst. as under:—

"Operators are selling on expectations of rains in Central Texas. Trade best buyers."

Despite a sharp decline in New York futures the Marwari Bazar opened only a rupee and a half lower at Rs. 462½ for Broach August, and fluctuating within half a rupee closed at Rs. 463. Commission and Japanese Houses were moderate sellers whilst Bazar operators were buyers. Whilst April/May opened at Rs. 422 i.e. Rs. 2 lower than yesterday's closing rate. At the opening Commission Houses were moderate buyers, whilst Japanese Houses were sellers, and the market fluctuating within a small range closed at Rs. 422. At Cotton Green the Bazar opened at Rs. 422 and going down to Rs. 421¾ closed steady at Rs. 422½ at 6-30 p.m. on Marwari Shroffs buying. Japanese Houses were buyers for Oomra.

Fine Oomra January opened at Rs. 408 and eased to Rs. 407 on selling by Commission Houses, but again recovered to Rs. 408 on Japanese Houses buying and closed at Rs. 407½. F. G. Bengal January was nominally quoted Rs. 361½.

Our market for ready cotton was quiet yesterday and the demand was moderate.

To-day 200 bales Dholleras and 100 bales Kadi/Viramgaon were tendered, total tenders upto date being 900 Bs. only.

COTTON GREEN CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Bombay, Aug. 14, 6-30 p.m.

Fuly Good Broach April/May	422½
Fully Good Broach July/Aug.	463
Fully Good Bengal Dec/Jan.	363
Fine Oomra Dec/Jan.	408½

SPOT QUOTATIONS.

Description.	Super-fine.	Fine.	Gd.	Gd.
M. G. Kadi/Viramgaon	470	460	450	440
M. G. Dhollera	465	455	445	435
M G. Punjab-Americans	510	500	490	480
M. G. Broach	490	480	470	460
M. G. Southerns	....	....	444	434
	F	G.	Fair.	424.

EAST INDIAN COTTON ASSOCIATION.

Bombay, Aug. 14.

Fully Good Broach April/May	422
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READY APPROXIMATE QUOTATIONS

Bombay, Aug. 14.

	Ready average quality	Ready Fine
Bengal Superfine M.G	.....	.....
Bengal Fine M.G.	.....	395/400
Bengal F.G.M.G.	375	.....
Sindh-Punjab Fine M.G.	.....	395/400
Sindh-Punjab	375	.....
Punjab-Americans M.G.	450/60	470
Wardha-Hinghat Fine MG	410/420	460
Nagpur Fine M.G.	415/425	460
Yeotmal Fine M G.	400/410	440
Pulgaon Fine M.G	415/420	440
Dhamangaon Fine M.G.	395/405	440
Amraoti Fine M.G.	380/90	430
Khamgaon-Akola Fine MG	380/90	420
Mulkapur Fine M.G.	370/80	400/410
Khandesh Fine M.G.	355/60	400
Khandesh F.G.M.G.	.....	.....
Broach Fine M.G.	.....	465
Broach Fully Good M.G.	.....	455/60
Muthia Fine M.G.	.....	.....
Muthia F.G.M.G.	.....	.....
Dharwar S.G.	.....	450
Coompta M.G.	.....	450
Westerns M. G.	.....	415/4
Westerns H.G.	.....	.....
Miraj M.G.	.....	435/45
Lombodia M. G.	.....	485/95

RECEIPTS.

Bombay, August 14.

The following are the receipts of cotton produce etc., for the 48 hours ending 6 p.m. on 13th August 1925.

Cotton	8285 Bales.
Wheat	30310 Cwts.
Linseed	2738 Cwts.
Rape, etc.	1497 ,,
Gingellyseed	2006 ,,
Poppyseed	1077 ,,
Groundnuts	2566 ,,
Castorseed	7040 ,,
Rice	26316 ,,
Myrabollams	Nil.
Cottonseed	18604 ,,
Mowraseed	101 ,,
Gram	2215 ,,
Juwar	1603 ,,
Masur	114 ,,
Barley	587 ,,
Bajri	2346 ,,
Coal	764 Tons.

London, Aug. 13.

Business was done to-day in Linseed Calcutta at £22/8/9 Aug/Sep shipment.

Linseed La Plata Argentine at £20 5/8 Sep/Oct shipment to Hull and at £19 5/8 Jan/Feb shipment.

Wheat Cargo Australian at 58 3/4.

NEW YORK AND LIVERPOOL QUOTATIONS.

MESSRS. PATEL BROTHERS' REPORT

Bombay Aug. 1925.

New York Market 13th August.

Previous Close.	Delivery.	Last known price in Liverpool.	Closing Price.	Since previous close.
23.72	Oct.	23.54-18	23 24	—48
23.50	Jan.		23 02	—48
23.50	Mar.		23.33	—47
24.09	May		23.63	—46

New York spot on 12th Aug. 24.25+20; New Orleans 23.67+17.

Telegraphic market advices:—Market declined on reports of rains in Texas.

October highest 23.62 (12.59 p.m.), lowest 23.24 (2.53 p.m.), range .38 points.

Liverpool Market 13th August.

Previous Close.	Delivery.	Opening Price.	Prices at 12 noon.	Closing Price.	Since previous close.
American.					
12.46	Oct	12.55+09	12.60×04	12.48+02	
12.41	Jan.	12.48+07		12.43+02	
12.48	Mar.			12.50+02	
12.54	May			12.56+02	
Egyptian.					
23.35	Nov.			23.12	—23
22.42	Jan			22.42	—20

Telegraphic market advices:—(1) Cabled 10-10 a.m.: Much warmer. Light rains North Carolina.

(2) Cabled 12.25 p.m.: Narrow professional market with small business.

American cross rate 4.85 13/16.

BREUL & CO.'S MARKET REPORT.

EAST INDIAN COTTON.

RECEIPTS INTO BOMBAY

Bombay, August 14.

In full-pressed Bales	Since 1st September This year	Last year
Khandesh	93 293,678	340,660
Central India	203 343,347	301,462
Barsi and Nagar	378 207,385	205,351
Hyderabad-Gaorani	.. 97,163	104,697
Berar	202 566,674	647,007
Central Provinces	132 256,160	268,593
Total Oomras	1,004 1,764,707	1,867,870
Dholera	.. 313,653	184,622
N.W. Provinces	8 131,593	122,536
Rajputana	302 51,681	60,065
Sind-Punjab	131 362,611	303,359
Broach	.. 481,708	307,772
Coompta & Dharwar	1,227 210,488	185,326
Westerns-Northerns	2,158 118,095	90,425
Cocanada	275 2,242	2,338
Tinnevelly and Cambodia	1,105 39,139	29,491
Persian	171 6,520	9,430
American	9,849	2
Egyptian and African	1,692 67,745	70,012
Comilla, Burma & other sorts	— 3,495	876
Total	8,285 35,97,727	32,70,447

EXPORTS FROM BOMBAY.

In full-pressed Bales	1st Sept. to 6th Aug This year.	Last year
Europe	6,494 683,332	1,085,643
Japan & China	3,950 1,965,797	1,505,367
Coast Ports	.. 32,057	52,066
Up-country by Rail	— 15,504	21,092
Afloat in harbour for Europe, China and Japan	— 28,001	3,814
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MESSRS. A. NORDEN & CO'S. CABLE.

Telegraphic Informations received by Messrs. Ratilal and Co.

Messrs. Ratilal and Co. Cotton Brokers and Commission Agents cotton cabin Mumbadevi have received to-day (Friday). The following cable from their New York friends Messrs. A. Norden and Co.:—

"Operators are selling in expectation rain in Central Texas. Trade best buyers."

MOCATTAS' SILVER REPORT.

London, Aug. 13.

Market was very stagnant and uninteresting. Both India and China bought small amounts, selling being chiefly from the Continent. America neither bought nor sold but Messrs. Mocattas understand that China has been making fairly large purchases in San Francisco. Monsoon reports are considered satisfactory which is indicative of better demand shortly from India, but in absence of this, Messrs. Mocattas do not look for much change from the present level.

P. CHRYSTAL & CO.

DAILY COTTON REPORT

Bombay, August 14

Bombay Quotations at 2-30 p. m.

Description.	Ready	1925 J/Aug.	1926 A/May
1924-1925 Crop			
Broach M.G.F.G	465/75	463½/2 D/Jan	422
Oomra M.G. Fine	420/30	408	
Bengal M. G. Fine	335/400		
„ M. G. F. G.	380/83	368	
Khandesh Black leaf	390/400		
Khandwa-Sanavad	390/405		
Jalna/Aurrangabad	380/400		
Harda	385/435		
Ujjain	375 421		
Barsham Purna	395/425		
Nander.	395/435		
Wardha/Warora	440/45		
Nagpur Katol	415/50		
Adoni	420/30		
Sindh/Amroti	485/500		
Sangli Miraj *	425, 35		
Bagalkot	420, 35		
Coompta*	450/60		
Tirupur	480/495		
Kadi Vramgam M.G.F.G.	435/45		
Dholleras M.G.F.G.	435/40		

* No demand.

AMERICAN COTTON FIGURES.

		1925-26	1924-25
S. F. Sales			
Receipts to date 13 8-25	—	80000	71000
„ Yesterday do	—	4000	5000
Exports to date do	—	80000	77000
Stock at Ports 7-8-25	—	191000	244000
„ Interior Towns. do	—	143000	173000
„ Liverpool do	—	628000	411000
Visible Supply 8-8-25	—	1047000	833000
Quantity in Night do	—	6000	75000

Receipts at Bombay.

Yesterday.	1924-25	1923-24	1922-23
8255	3592727	3270447	3607091

Exports by rail from 1st Sept. to 6th August

1924-25	1923-24
15004	21222

Total Stock in Bombay on 6-8-25 5,76,673 B/s last year—5,21,844 B/s.

Total Shipments from 1st, Sept, to 10th August

	1924-1925	1923-1924	1922-1923
Europe —	686351	1087947	1245c
China —	340940	240756	374802
Japan —	1633992	1264611	1691267
Coast Ports —	32057	52066	50716
Total —	2693340	2645380	2939214
Afloat in harbour			
Europe —	554	1117	2875
China Japan & Coast ports —	19441	20757	6.61
Silver	Gold	Govt Paper	
72-5-0	21-5-6	69-7-0	

Remarks:—1-40 p.m. Yesterday New York declined 48 to 46 points while Liverpool advanced 2 points

Here the local market opened with new Broach at Rs. 422 at which rate it is steady with old Broach at Rs. 462½, Oomras at Rs. 407½ and Bengals at Rs. 363.

Opinion.—We refer our friends to our Weekly Market Report which is sent herewith.

Sampin closed this morning at 338.60, 327.50 and 232.00 for August, November and February these rates being 3.30, 2.80 and 3,00 down respectieply.

Ready Cotton.—There was a moderate demand yesterday for ready cotton.

Marwadi Bazaar Fri. 3-30 p.m. Market. Steady.

Broach July/August. Rs. 462½, A/May 1926 Rs. 422½ Oomra D/January Rs. 408. Bengal D/January Rs. 363.

COTTON.

Liverpool, August 13.

Total Day's Sales at Liverpool 4.000 bales.

Total Day's Sales on Spec. and for Exp. 100 bales.

Total Day's Sales of East Indian 300 bales.

Universal Standard 13.12 fair request.

Egyptian F. G. F. Sakellaridis 30.75.

New York 11 a.m. (As known in Liverpool at closing time) Oct. 23.53, Jan. 23.30, Mar. 2357.

New York Noon Call, Oct. 23.55, Jan. 23.25, Mar. 23.55.

New Orleans 10 a.m. Oct. 22.93, Jan. 23.13.

FUTURE DELIVERY PRICES.

Liverpool, August 14.

September	12.39—15
October	12.38—15
December	12.29—14
January	12.28—15
March	12.33—17
May	12.40—16

EGYPTIAN.

November	23.00—12
January	22.15—07

London 13th Cuban Sugar 12 1/8 August sellers.

Exchange Belgium 107.83.

Exchange Athens 313.50.

CLOSING PRICES.

Liverpool, August 13.

Aug.	12.65+01
Sept.	12.54+01
Oct.	12.48+02
Nov.	12.39+02
Dec.	12.43+03
Jan.	12.43+02
Feb.	12.44+02
Mar.	12.50+02
Apl.	12.51+02
May	12.56+02
June	12.52+02
July	12.52+02
Aug.	12.47+02

Tone:—Steady.

ADDITIONAL QUOTATIONS.

Liverpool, August 13.

Scinde, "Good"	9.30
Scinde "Fully Good"	9.70
Scinde "Fine"	10.10
Bengal, "Good"	9.40
Bengal, "Fully Good"	9.80
Bengal, "Fine"	10.20
Oomra, "Good"	10.10
Oomra, "Fully Good"	10.50
Oomra, "Fine"	10.90
Broach, "Good"	10.85
Broach "Fully Good"	11.25
Broach "Fine"	11.65

EGYPTIAN COTTON. CLOSING PRICES.

Liverpool, August 13.

Aug.	27.07—23
Sept.	25.32—13
Oct.	24.82—18
Nov.	23.12—23
Dec.	22.62—23
Jan.	22.22—20
Feb.	22.20—17
Mar.	22.00—17
Apl.	21.95—17
May	21.90—17
June	21.85—17
July	21.80—17

AMERICAN MARKETS.

New York, Aug. 13.

COTTON.—

Day's Receipts at all U. S. Ports	4,000
Day's Exports to Great Britain	1,000
Day's Exports to Continent	3,000

Futures at New York:—

October	23.24	—48
January	23.02	—48
Marhc	23.33	—47
May	23.63	—46
Spot Cotton at New York	23.50	—75
Spot Cotton at New Orleans	23.15	—52

Futures at New Orleans.—

October	22.72	—44
January	22.98	—45

Fair Rio Coffee (No 7 quality) 20 3/4

Demand Bills 4.85.50

Silver Foreign mined 69 7/8

AMERICAN COTTON MARKET. CLOSING PRICES.

New York, August 13.

Futures at New York.

Oct.	23.24—48
Jan.	23.02—48
Mar.	23.33—47
May	23.63—46

Liverpool, August 13.

Cotton Delivery Mid. Uplands G. O. C. Liverpool.

Oct.	12.48+02
Jan.	12.43+02
Mar.	12.50+02
May	12.56+02

SHARES.

London, Aug. 13.

Hongkong Bank	£133 1/2
Chartered Bank	£ 20 1/8
National Bank	£ 47
P. & O. Bank	£ 10
Eastern Bank	£ 6 1/8

SHARE MARKET.

Bombay Aug. 14.

LOCAL BANKS.	Paid up Rs.	Last Divid	Quotation Rs. a.
Bank of India	50	3	70
Baroda	50	4	70
Central Co-operative	50	7½	50
Central	25	1½	22 6
Eastern	£ 5	9 p.c.	21
Imperial	500		1410
Imperial Contributory	125	10	363 12
Union	72	—	3 7

CEMENTS AND MANGANESE COMPANIES.

Sundi Portland Cement Co.	10	—	6	8
Central India Mining	10	4-8y	27	8
Indian Cement O.	350	..	27	8
Katni Cement O.	100	..	30	
Katni Cement D.	40	—	95	
Punjab Cement O.	10	..	2	
Shivrajpure	10	8—0	47	

RAILWAY COMPANIES.

Ahmedabad Prantej	500	12 p.c.	332	8
Amritsar-Pattis	100	10 p.c.	145	
Central Provinces	100	7½ p.c.	114	
Dhond Baramati	100	5 p.c.	86	
Guzerat	100	5 p.c.	81	4
Hoshiarpur Doab	100	5 p.c.	75	
Larkana	100	5 p.c.	74	
Mandra Bhon	90	5 p.c.	69	
Pachora Jammer	100	5 p.c.	76	
Sara Sirajgunj	100	5 p.c.	79	
Sialkot Narowal	100	5 p.c.	46	
Sind Linght	100	6 p.c.	150	
Tapti Valley	500	8 p.c.	642	8
Upper Sind Light	100	4 p.c.	72	

STEAMER COMPANIES.

Bombay Steam Navigation O.	250	—	80	
Bombay Steam Navigation P.	250	—	182	8
Scindia Steam	30	—	6	6

ELECTRIC UNDERTAKINGS.

Ahmedabad Electricity	100	6 p.c.	84	
Andhra Valley O.	1,000	—	492	8
Andhra Valley P.	1,000	—	825	
Bombay Tramways O.	50	4	93	12
Bombay Tramways P	50	7 p.c.	61	
Tata Hydro-Elec. O.	1,000	30	972	8
Tata HydroElec. P.	1,000	7 p.c.	840	
Karachi Electricity	100	6	93	
Surat Electricity	100	—	75	
Tata Power O.	1,000	—	370	
Tata Power P.	1,000	—	510	

PRESS COMPANIES.

Akbar	500	—	475	
Fort	475	..	200	
Harvey & Sabapathy	500	90-33	1000	
Indian Cotton	125	20	195	
Manmad Manufacturing	250	—	240	
New Berar	500	80	775	
New East India	1,000	..	2500	
New Mofussil P.	400	40	650	
New Prince of Wales	500	61	850	
Volkart U. P.	500	50	660	

MISCELLANEOUS COMPANIES.

Alcock Ashdown	100	—	127	8
Belapur Co. Ltd.	75	—	13	
B. Burma T. Corporation Old.	125	7-8	355	
B Burma T. Corporation New	50	5	87	8
Burma Corporation	10	0-6	9	2
Bombay Uganda	80	4-12	40	
British Burma Petroleum	Sh.	8	—	4 10
Indo-Burma Petroleum	100	225	225	
Jost Engineering	50	7-8	90	
Mckenzie	100	30 p.c.	337	8
New Union Flour Mills	100	..	35	
Port Canning	1,000	50	680	
Sardar Carbonic Gas	100	..	10	
Tata Iron Pref. 1st	150	6 p.c.	91	
Tata Iron Pref. 2nd	100	—	29	
Tata Iron Defd.	30	—	53	2
Tata Iron and Steel Co.	75	—	14	14
Thacker	50	—	200	
Telephone	50	1	22	

INSURANCE COMPANIES.

Empire of India Life	50	22-8	420	
Jupiter	15	..	4	8
New India	25	1-0	13	10
Oriental Life	50	30 p.c.	800	
Vulcan	10	6 ans	2	

MILLS.

Ahmedabad Advance	100	12	397	8
Alliance	100	—	50	
Apollo	50	—	10	
Assur Virjee	100	..	8	
Berar Manfg.	200	30	300	
Bombay Cotton O.	500	15	390	
Bombay Cotton P.	10	5 p.c.	5	10
Bombay Dyeing etc.	250	50	797	8
Bombay Industrial	100	—	15	
Bombay Woollen	100	..	70	
Bradbury	250	10	370	
Bradbury P.	250	7 p.c.	200	
Broach Fine Counts	250	..	30	
Century	100	20y	335	
Central India O.	100	16	455	
Central P.	500	5 p.c.	405	
Ceylon	100	—	45	
Colaba Land & Mill	100	7-8y	96	4
Coorla	100	7	150	
Crescent	100	6	197	8
Currimbhoy	250	—	350	
David	500	—	400	
Dawn	250	40	590	
Diamond O.	100	—	11	
E. D. Sassoon United O.	10	—	0 15	3
Ebrahimbhoy Pabaney	250	15y	270	
Edward Sassoon	200	—	140	
Elphinstone O.	100	—	26	
Emperor Edward	500	..	330	
Fazulbhoy	250	25	805	
Finlay	100	20	132	8
Framjee Petit	1,000	—	750	
Globe	100	—	47	8
Gokak	100	7	103	12
Gold Mohur	100	..	18	
Hindoostan	100	100	10	25
Indian Bleaching, etc.	100	10	210	
Indian Manufacturing	1,000	*75	—	
Indore-Malwa United	100	*22-8	370	
Indian Woollen	50	—	10	12
Jamshed O.	250	..	70	
Kastoorchand	500	..	90	
Khandesh	1,000	200	2300	
Khatau Makanjee	100	6	87	8
Kilachand	25	—	5	12
Kohinoor	500	..	1010	
Lakshmi Cotton	1,000	350	4700	
Madhorao Scindia	100	—	27	8
Madhowji Dharamsi	100	..	91	4
Madras United	250	15	600	
Maneckjee Petit	1,000	100	2400	
Mathuradas	100	..	150	
Mayor Sassoon	500	..	110	
Morarjee Goculdas	1,000	60	2400	
Model Mills, Nagpur	250	..	150	
Mysore	50	5	112	8
New City of Bombay	100	10	210	
New Great Eastern	200	10y	275	
Osmanshahi (100)	75	..	67	
Pearl	250	12	435	
Phoenix	100	15	435	
Planet	100	—	15	
Premier	100	—	62	8
Sassoon Cotton	100	—	30	
Sassoon Silk	500	..	500	
Sholapur	1,000	1000	9400	
Simplex	250	..	97	8
Sir Shapurji Broacha	100	..	70	
Standard	500	100	1375	
Swadeshi	100	18	445	
Swan	100	50	165	
Tata Mill O.	500	..	75	
Vishnu Cotton O	500	90	1700	
Vishnu P.	500	35	510	
Western India Spng	1,000	40	560	

SHARE-MARKET FLUCTUATIONS

Bombay, July 14.

Ahmedabad Advance				397-8
Bombay Cotton				390
Bombay Dyeing	800	807-8	795	797-8
Century	385	341-4	332-8	335
Central India	456-4	458-12	415	455
Colaba Land	98-12	98-12	96-4	9 -4
Crescent	200	200	195	197-8
Edward Sassoon				146
Fazulbhoy	807-8	818-12	801-4	805
Finlay				132-8
Globe				47-8
Gokak				103-12
Indian Bleaching				210
Indore Malwa	373-12	373-12	370	370
Kohinoor				1010
Madhowjee		105	105 90	91 4
Mathuradas				140
Meyer Sassoon				110
Mysore				112-8
New Great	280	285	275	275
Pabaney				270
Pearl	437-8	438-12	432-8	435
Phoenix				435
Simplex	102-8	103-12	97-8	97-8
Swadeshi	446-4	448-12	445	445
Swan Mills				165
Tata Mill				75

MISCELLANEOUS

Alcock				127-8
Bombay Steam				80
„ Tram Co., Ord.	94-6	97-6	93-12	93-12
Sundi Cement				6-8
Indian Cement				27-8
Central India Mining				27-8
Katni Cemect Ord.				30
Shivrajpur				47
Tata Hydro	803-12	805	788-12	792-8
Tata Iron & Steel, Ord.				14-4
Tata Iron & Steel, Def.	53-12,55		53-12	53-12

London, Aug. 13.

Total Bullion	£164,300,000 Dec. 200,000
Public Deposits	£15,700,000 Inc. 4,700,000
Other Deposits	£110,700,000 Inc. 200,000
Govt. Securities	£34,200,000 Inc. 700,000
Other Securities	£71,600,000 Inc. 3,400,000
Notes & Gold	£38,800,000 Inc. 900,000

The Bank Reserve is 30.6 per cent. of the Liabilities.

CHEMICALS

Aug. 14.

Sodium Sulphide, Magnesium Chloride, Brown Sugar-Lead, Caustic Soda and Litharge are practically quiet. Demand has considerably gone down and a revival of activity is far from sight, under the present circumstances. The Supply of Continental chemicals has overtaken the demand with a result that the market is stagnant.

Quotations are:—

Epsom salt Rs. 4-0-0.
Antimony, salt Rs. 0-9-0.
Acetate lead-white Rs. 39-0-0.
Bleaching powder Rs. 11-8-0.
Potassium Chlorate Rs. 0-4-3.
Caustic soda Rs. 18-8-0.
Magnesium Chloride Rs. 5-0-0.
Dextrine Rs. 20-8-0.
Maize starch Rs. 14-8-0.
Sodium Sulphide Rs. 9-0-0.
Acetic acid Rs. 0-7-6.
Aniline salt Rs. 0-9-0.
Glauber salt Rs. 4-0-0.
Bichromate potash Rs. 33-0-0.
Hydrosulphide soda Rs. 0-11-6.
Zinc Chloride Rs. 20-8-0.
Litharge flake Rs. 39-0-0.
Farina Rs. 16-0-0.
Oxalic acid Rs. 21-8-0.

FREIGHT OF COAL.

London, Aug. 13.

Cardiff to Bombay 15/-.

BARLEY.

London, Aug. 13.

Karachi Barley Aug/Sep value 40/6.

BOMBAY STOCK EXCHANGE

GOVERNMENT SECURITIES.

Bombay, Aug. 14.

3 1/2 per cent. Rupee Paper Rs. 69/6.

4 per cent. Conversion Loan due 1931-36 Rs. 87

5 per cent. War Loan due 1929-47 Rs. 95-14.

5 per cent. Loan (Tax Free) due 1933 Rs. 100/8

5 per cent. Loan (Tax Free) due 1945-55 Rs. 100/1

5 1/2 per cent. War Bonds (Tax Free) due 1925 Rs. 103/5

5 1/2 per cent. War Bonds (Tax Free) due 1928 Rs. 105/12.

6 per cent. Bonds (Tax Free) due 1926 Rs. 101/11.

6 per cent. Bonds (Tax Free) due 1927 Rs. 102/9.

6 per cent. Bonds (Tax Free) due 1930 Rs. 104/8.

6 per cent. Bonds (Tax Free) due 1931 Rs. 105

6 per cent. Bonds (Tax Free) due 1932 Rs. 105/9

6 1/2 per cent. B'bay Devp. Loan (Tax Free) due 1935 Rs. 109/6.

4 per cent. Port Trust due 1974 Rs. 76/8.

4 per cent. Municipal due 1974 Rs. 76

4 per cent. Improvement Trust due 1974 Rs. 76

6 per cent. Port Trust due 1930 Rs. 100/4

6 per cent. Municipal due 1929-49 Rs. 100/8

Tone of Market:—Quiet and dull.

WHEAT.

London, Aug. 13.

Barletta Russo—62½ lbs. Aug/Sep sellers 60/-.

Rozario Santa Fe—63½ lbs. Aug/Sep sellers 61/-.

Tone:—Firmer, quiet.

Australian Aug/Sep sellers 58/6—steady.

Choice White Karachi Aug/Sep nominal 59/-.

Cargo West Australian Wheat 59/9 Bill Lading June to Continent paid.

SEEDS.

London, Aug. 13.

Linseed Argentine (La Plata)—

Aug/Sep sellers £20 5/8.

Jan/Feb paid £19 5/8.

Firm. Fair trade—Moderate offerings.

Cottonseed Bombay Aug/Sep dull £9 7/8

Castorseed Bombay Aug/Sep sellers £22 3/8—quiet.

Rapeseed, Ferozepore Usual Bold, per ton £29 3/4. Aug/Sep sellers

Rapeseed Toria per ton £22 1/4 Aug/Sep value.

Rapeseed Yellow Guzerat per ton £23-1/2 Aug/Sep sellers.

Rapeseed, Brown Cawnpore per ton £20 7/8 Aug/Sep nominal.

Tone of Rapeseed:—Quiet, firm.

Yellow Cawnpore £23 1/8 Aug/Sep nom!.

Linseed Bombay £23 1/4 Aug/Sep. sellers.

LINSEED.

London, Aug. 13.

Linseed Calcutta Pure Basis Bags:—

Aug/Sept. done £22 5/16 buyers £22 1/2

Tone:—Firm fair demand moderate supplies offered.

Raw Linseed Oil Naked Spot Net:—

August sellers 42/3

Sept/Dec. paid 42/3

METALS.

London, Aug. 13.

English best Selected Copper £65 1/4

Standard Copped G. M. B. £62 3/8

Copper Braziers £82

Yellow Metal 69 1/2 net per ton.

Hard Spelter 31 3/4

Corrugated Sheets £16 1/8

THE METAL MERCHANTS CO

Issued Rates for Brass and Copper.

Daily Quotations.

BRASS.

Bombay, Aug. 14.

		Per md	Rs.	a.	p.
Brass, English		¾	56	8	0
Brass, English		1	56	8	0
Brass, English		1¼	56	8	0
Brass, English		1½	56	8	0
Brass, English		1¾	56	8	0
Brass, English		2	56	8	0

COPPER.

Bombay, Aug. 14.

	Per md.	Rs.	a.	p.
Copper, German	¾	62	8	0
Copper, German	1	62	8	0
Copper, German	1¼	62	8	0
Copper, American	1½	62	8	0
Copper, American	1¾	62	8	0
Copper, American	2	62	8	0
Japanese Copper Bars		62	0	0
Panchteka joint		28	0	0
Copper, English Bars		61	0	0
Brass Bars		41	0	0
Pat Klai		67	8	0
Lead, country		27	0	0
Koger Brass, Metal ¾ to 1		54	8	0
Koger, Copper 1¼ to 1½, 1¾ to 2		54	8	0
German Copper 1¼ to 1½ to 2		62	8	0
American Copper ¾ to 1; 1¼		62	8	0

BOMBAY-CHINA YARN MARKETS.

Daily Quotations.

Bombay, Aug. 14.

	Per lb.	Rs.	a.	p.
Kilachand	No. 14½	0	12	3
Kilachand	No. 20½	0	13	3
Currimbhai	No. 12½	0	12	0
Elphinstone	No. 12½	0	11	9
David	No. 10½	0	11

BOMBAY MARKETS

WEEKLY REVIEW

COTTON.

WEEKLY REVIEW.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

During the week under review Home markets have been fluctuating but on the whole show a sharp decline both in Liverpool and New York as compared with last week. Early the market declined on considerable long liquidation and short selling. Later the prices improved on trade buying and short covering. At the close the market was again easier.

The principal event of the week has been the issuance of the third instalment of Government Bureau Report which made its appearance here during the early part of the week showing an estimated condition upto 1st instant of 65.6 per cent. with a crop out-turn of 13,566,000 bales, whilst the quantity of cotton ginned upto 31st July indicated a figure of 159,000 bales. Although there is a marked reduction in the condition figure, the crop estimate is nearly the same as the previous report, which is due to the fact that the crop estimate is based not only on the condition figure but the figure representing the par yield per acre in pounds (lbs.)

Soon after the publication of the Report the New York market sagged under the influence of heavy long liquidation and short selling on reports of improved crop prospects, but this selling pressure did not last long, for, on the news of the weekly Government weather report being slightly unfavourable the market showed a recovery in values towards the close of the week on shorts covering and trade buying.

The American weather reports latterly have been much more favourable and the general consensus of opinion is that the present condition of the crop is considerably better than indicated by the last Bureau condition of 65.6 per cent which was based on the condition of the 1st August, before the recent beneficial rains in Texas and Oklahoma had their effect.

Trade reports from Manchester are pretty well on the same lines as last week and we are informed that there are more signs the last day or so of an expansion, and considerable business is probable as soon as buyers have sufficient confidence to place orders. Conditions, generally speaking, are quite healthy.

As regards American spot cotton there has still been a good demand for all styles, and the turnover on the whole is good. Merchants have been forced to buy against contracts and at the moment they have to undergo extreme difficulty in securing their requirements.

On the whole, it is purely a question of weather on which the near future of the market is likely to be governed and we would recommend those who wish to operate to enter the Bull side, and buy on breaks for the next two or three weeks, but such purchases should not be allowed to stand too long in the expectation of securing substantial gain, but should be covered speedily and be satisfied with moderate profits.

As regards the position of the local market, new crop contracts latterly have shown considerable strength notwithstanding declines in Americans, the feeling in the Bazar being generally bullish. Crop prospects on the whole are so far reported to be satisfactory.

The following were the changes in the Home markets as compared with last week :—

	last week	this week.
New York October	24.01	23.24—77
New York January	23.67	23.02—65
New York March	23.98	23.33—65
New York May	24.30	23.63—67
Liverpool October	12.74	12.48—26
Liverpool January	12.68	12.43—25
Liverpool March	12.73	12.50—23
Liverpool May	12.77	12.56—21

LOCAL FORWARD MARKET.

Fully good M.G. Broach August opened on the 7th instant at Rs. 458½ and eased to Rs. 456 on general selling. From this level the prices improved to Rs. 462½ on buying by Bazar operators and Commission Houses. On New York futures being reported lower, the market dropped to Rs. 458½ but again advanced to Rs. 464 on Commission Houses and Bazar operators buying and closed on the 13th instant at Rs. 464. Whilst April/May opened on the 7th instant, at Rs. 425½ and going down to Rs. 423½ on Commission Houses selling gradually advanced to 428 on Bazar operators buying and closed on the 13th instant at Rs. 464. Whilst April/May opened on the 7th instant, at Rs. 425½ and going down to Rs. 423½ on Commission Houses selling gradually advanced to 428 on Bazar operators buying and closed on the 13th instant at Rs. 424.

Fine Oomra January opened on the 7th instant at Rs. 409 and declined to Rs. 406½ on Shroffs selling. Buying by Bazar operators and Exporting Houses caused the values to improve to Rs. 412½. The market again gave way to Rs. 407 in sympathy with the decline in America but on buying at about this level improved to Rs. 412 and closed at Rs. 410 on the 13th instant. Bengal January opened at Rs. 361 and closed at Rs. 364, the highest being Rs. 365½ and lowest Rs. 360.

PIECE-GOODS.

The tone of the cloth market during the past week has been dull and quiet. Transactions have been very few and far between and even the retail inquiry has not been encouraging. There is still some need of rains in the consuming districts and until that is experienced the monsoon cannot be said to have turned out favourable. Buyers are still disposed to stick to their policy of buying from hand to mouth only. A dragging state of affairs therefore continues to prevail, and values of some standard cloths have given way. In a declining market it is usual for buyers to hold aloof and watch the developments, in anticipation of securing better rates in the near future. Looking to the anxiety of the merchants to dispose off their holdings even at sacrifices, a lower level of values may be experienced shortly, even if the replacing costs are higher.

Grey Shirtings of Manchester make have not attracted any attention and values have consequently declined further. Grey Jaconets have also shown some reduction owing to want of demand. Drills have hardly shown any change. Stocks of White Shirtings are heavy and in the absence of inquiry, a depression has set in, and merchants are heavy losers. In White Mulls, some inquiry from Madras in 50 inches by 20 yards Red End styles worth from Rs. 9-8 to Rs. 10 per piece, has been met with. 39 inches by 20 yards Gold End White Mulls have been scarce and command good value. Low quality ranges of 27 inches by 18 yards Nainsooks have declined in values by three annas per piece.

The Manchester market has been very irregular with regard to quotations of different manufacturers. There are some makers who have been offering lower prices in order to book business, and a small proportion of the inquiries have led to business at finely cut prices. On the other hand there are other makers who have secured fair business and are hard to deal with. A message to the "Daily Express" from Manchester says that the Russian Government has given various Lancashire firms contracts for cotton yarn and cloth of a value exceeding £300,000 sterling. Mail reports indicate that their was a big inquiry in Twills and flannelettes for Russia, which must have resulted in business. The trade from China is also said to be reviving and shipments have been resumed. But owing to the over-production of yarn, the state of the cotton industry in Lancashire was worse than it had ever been, in spite of the regulation of production.

Local Mill cloths have been quiet. Merchants have been cutting down prices in competition with each other and rates have ruled easier. Buyers having no confidence are holding aloof. No important sales have resulted.

The quotations for the leading chops of Grey and Whites are as under :—

GREY SHIRTINGS—

	Ins.	ds	Rs.	a.	p.
Ralli's Fari No. 200039	3 1/4/38		12	0	0
„ 100,000	..45×	..	14	8	0
„ No. 33,000	..45×	..	13	0	0
„ No. 2800	..37×	..	10	0	0
„ No. 4545	..38×38	..	11	0	0
„ No. 15000	..44×38	..	12	0	0
„ No. 16000	.. „	..	12	8	0
„ No. 17000	.. „	..	13	0	0
Graham's No. 2730	39 „		11	12	0
„ No. 2750	..45 „	..	14	8	0
Dewhursts BBB	..38×38 1-2..		18	8	0
„ BB	..38×38 1-2..		17	0	0
„ Rupee No. 5	38×38 1-2..		16	0	0
Ritchie's No. 510	..39×37 1/2/38		11	12	0
Lyon's Shunker	..39× „	..	11	12	0
Fleming's 1904-1906	45,48,51×38		17	12	

GREY DRILLS—

Pepperell's Dragon	29×40 Net		26	11	0
Ralli's Musjid No. 425	26×40		15	0	0

GREY JACONETS

Ralli's No. 18	.45×22	..	7	8	0
„ No. 18	..40×22	..	6	14	0
„ No. 158	..40×22	..	6	4	0
„ No. 636	..44×22	..	6	15	0

WHITE SHIRTINGS—

Liepmann's No. 1500	32×42	..	23	0	0
H. B. T. C. 40000	..36×40	..	27	14	0
Ralli's No. 9889	..33×40	..	18	0	0

WHITE MULLS.

Ralli's No. 6	..41×19	..	7	15	0
„ No. 60	..46×19	..	8	11	0
„ No. 600	..51×19	..	9	7	0
„ No. 6000	..56×19	..	10	15	0
„ No. 88	..58×20		8	0	0
„ No. 1279	..27 18	..	3	10	0
„ No. 166	..39×20		8	10	0
„ No. 818	..39×20		8	12	0
„ No. 1440	..36×20	..	5	4	0
„ No. 1703	..52×20 Net		15	2	0
„ No. 224	..44×20	..	7	4	0
Ritchie's No. 1260	27×18	..	3	10	0
„ No. 119	..37×18	..	4	8	0
„ No. 229	..42×18	..	5	0	0
„ No. 339	..47×18	..	5	8	0
„ 1K-4K38",43"48"53×18	Avg.		5	0	0
„ No. 95	..58×20	..	7	10	0
„ No. 66999	..40×18	..	5	8	0
„ No. 86999	..40×18	..	6	0	0
„ No. 775	..40×18	..	6	0	0
„ No. 875	..45×18	..	6	8	0
„ No. 975	..50×18	..	7	0	0
„ No. 615	..50×18	..	7	0	0
Graham's Balloon	..58×20	..	7	12	0
Flemings No. 8080	..26×18	..	3	6	0

WHITE NAINSOOKS—

Ralli's No. 7070-9090	27×18	..	4	4	0
„ No. 61-81		..	4	0	0
„ No. 1850	.. „	..	3	4	0
„ No. 1900	.. „	..	3	6	0
„ No. 2600	.. „	..	3	8	0
„ No. 21021	.. „	..	3	10	0
„ No. 39620 T. B.	38×22	..	6	8	0
Graham's Nos. 88-8888	28×18	..	4	12	0
„ No. 95950-97970 Saraswati	..38×18	..	8	8	0
„ Tipoo W/WWW	34×18	..	5	6	0
„ No. 50000	.. „	..	5	14	0
„ No. 33340/33350/33360			6	6	0
Lyon's No. 4545-5656 6767	..26×18	..	4	0	
Greaves' No. 8000 T. B.	38×22				
Ritchie's Nos. 3500-4510 5520	.. ..26×18	..	4	2	0
S. W. and Co's. Nos. 5800— 5820 "Motor Car"	.. ..		4	1	0

The above quotations are on Bazaar terms with discount of three and a half per cent on Grey and four per cent on White Goods.

JAPANESE GREY CLOTHS—

No. 666 Shirtings	..38×38	..Net	11	8	0
„ 2500 Shirtings	36×40	.. „	17	4	0
„ 5151 „	..44×38	.. „	..		
„ 4141 „	..44×38	.. „	12	0	0
„ 5544 „	..44×38	.. „	12	0	0
„ 3800 „	..44×38	.. „	17	8	0
"C" Sheetings	..30×36 Ex. Bond		9	15	0
"9" Dragons	..30×36 Ex. Bond		10	6	0
"Elephant" Drills	..29×40	.. „	16	8	0
"Duck" Drills	..26×40	.. „	15	0	0

YARN MARKET.

13th Aug. 1925

The Yarn Market has rather ruled quiet during the week under review and prices have eased to a certain extent abround in the absence of satisfactory demand. The expectations for further improvement in demand having not been yet realised the Dealers are again found some what nervous and consequently they think it rather unsafe to effect any fresh purchases on large scale. On the other hand some of them having lost confidence have been thinking of reducing their holdings by selling them off at the best available market rate. The general feeling is however uncertain probably as a result of the heavy fluctuations in raw material and the uncertainly of the issue between Capital and Labour. Advices from upcountry are not yet encouraging and this aggravates the gravity of the situation. Judging on the whole the situation is very uncertain at the moment and owing to bitter experience of the past the Dealers are very cautious and operate only Hand to Mouth.

ENGLISH YARNS.

Nothing fresh has happened in this section and the position remains much more the same. Cops are in limited request at much lower prices in as much as the Weaving Mills are not in a position to pay higher prices.

JAPANESE YARNS.

Turnover has been much restricted and prices have rather shown much easier tendency especially for near deliveries. Large Stocks of 40s. lying in the Madras Market have an adverse effect on this Market and prices in that Count have declined further. In other Counts the position remains the same as the Stocks are not very heavy. Forward business is very small as the prices quoted by the Import Houses are much higher and Sampian and Exchange are rather steady.

INDIAN YARNS.

The feeling has been rather quiet and buying is on a very limited scale. It seems this is also the result of various Holidays intervening but the very limited buying capacity of the consumers should not also be lost sight of. Mills report few sales during the Week and although inquiries are their at lower limits they have not reduced the rates to meet them in as much as ready Cotton being very firm they are not in a position to do so. China is rather quiet and only small lots have been done for that Market.

The general condition is quiet and unless demand shows signs of improvement we do not think prices can improve any further.

SUGAR MARKET.

Bombay, Aug. 14.

Since our last report our market improved about 3s. on general buying and later on declined again on large arrivals and easier advices from Java and Europe and with small fluctuations prices remain easier. Small quantity changed hands in White Javas July cl4/10s. to 14/8s. Aug. Sept. 15/4s. to 15/2s. and October December at 15/10s. to 15/8s. all Free Bombay Harbour terms. There was no direct business to report, Karachi and Calcutta reported quiet but steady markets with small business doing. Java reported quiet market with small business doing. London and America were also quiet with little business and lower prices. There was some enquiry to sell B.R.B. and Beet Sugars for October December shipment but there were no buyers in face of cheap Javas.

The following are the Bazar rates and stocks :—

T M O Rs. 15/1 eq. 14/8s. F. B. Harbour stocks 375,000 Bags.

T M O July 14/8s. F. B. Harbour.

T M O Aug. Sept. eq. 15/2s. F. B Harbour.

T M O Oct. Dec. eq. 15/8s. F. B. Harbour.

T M O Jan. Mar. eq. 16s. F. B. Harbour.

Arrivals :—

Risaldar with 74,000 Bags Java Sugar.

Peterston with 77,800 Bags Java Sugar.

Nurjehan with 77,000 Bags Java Sugar.

Trieste with 24,000 Bags Java Sugar.

JAVA SUGAR.

London, Aug. 13.

Fine White Java C. & F. Calcutta Aug/Sep sellers 15/6

Fine White Java C. & F. Calcutta Oct/Dec sellers 15/9

Fine White Java C. & F. Calcutta Jan/March sellers 16/

Fine White Java C. & F. Bombay Jan/March sellers 16/2½.

Fine White Java C. & F. Karachi Jan/March sellers 16/3 1/4.

RUBBER.

London, Aug. 13.

Para Up River Fine, Spot Sep/Oct sellers 38/

Tone :—Weaker.

Plantation First Latex Crepe, Spot Aug value paid 41/

Ribbed Smoked Sheets Aug value 41/

TRADE & FINANCE.

WEEKLY REVIEW.

WEEKLY MARKET REPORT.

Bombay, August 14.

Money :—Conditions in the money market continue very easy with call money passing at about 1½ per cent., and lenders predominating. The rate for fixed deposits for one month is about 1½ per cent., two to three months about 2 per cent and six months 3½ per cent.

The statement of the Imperial Bank of India as at 7th August 1925 shows a decrease of Rs. 248.71 lakhs in the cash balance which now stands at Rs. 44,07,000 and is still in marked contrast to the balance of Rs. 28.31 crores at this time last year. The percentage of cash to liabilities is 45.14—a decrease over last week of 1.09 per cent. The percentage this time last year was 27.08 and in 1923, 38.01. Loans Cash credits and Inland bills discounted have all declined by Rs 28.96 lakhs. Rs. 2.07 lakhs and Rs. 15.06 lakhs respectively. Government deposits are down by Rs. 316.26 lakhs probably due to the usual withdrawals at the beginning of the month, while other deposits are up by Rs. 9.02 lakhs. The bank rate continued unchanged at 4 per cent.

In the gilt-edged market quiet conditions prevailed with only a limited volume of business passing. Quotations are almost unchanged, there being a fractional reaction of about two annas in the price of some securities. 3½ per cent. Paper is quoted at Rs. 69.6 and 5 per cent. Loans, 1923 and 1945-55, at Rs. 100-3 and Rs. 100-1. 5 per cent. Bonds, 1925 and 1928, are placed at Rs. 103-5 and Rs. 105-12. 6 per cent. Bonds, 1926 and 1927, changed hands at Rs. 101-11 and Rs. 102-9. 1930 at Rs. 104-8 and 1932 at Rs. 105-9. 6½ per cent. Bombay Development Loan is quoted at Rs. 109-6.

The total of Conversion Loan up to 8th August 1925 was Rs. 21,79,42,000.

The Currency figures as at 7th August 1925 show an increase of Rs. 23.42 lakhs in the total number of notes in circulation which now stands at Rs. 184.53 crores. Silver coins have increased by Rs. 28.12 lakhs while gold bullion and silver under coinage remain unchanged at Rs. 22.31 crores and Rs. 6.95 crores respectively. The metallic ratio to circulation is 58.20 as compared with 58.12 a week ago.

EXCHANGE.

Throughout the period under report sterling exchange continued dull, but the undertone was steady with practically no change in the rates for near delivery. Towards the close, on improved enquiry for bullion remittances, the rates have eased somewhat. There have been few bills showing either here or in Calcutta. The bank's selling rate for August is 1s. 6-3/32d, September 1s. 6-1/8d. October 1s. 6-5/32d, November 1s. 6-3/16d, December/January 1s. 6.7/32d, February 1s. 6-3/16d and March 1s. 6-5/32d.

The dollar sterling quotation has been almost stationary at 4.85-13/16. French francs close at 103.90. Belgian at 108 and the Italian lira at 134.

A Press Communique issued by the Controller of Currency reports that the total remittance to the Home Treasury from 1st April to 31st July amounted to £9,926,000. Remittance during the month of July amounted to £1,475,000.

GOLD.

Conditions in the gold market have been generally steady with an improvement of about 3 pies to half an anna per tola, the price of ready gold being about 9 pies to one anna above that for forward delivery. The off-take continues at the average of 30,000 tolas a day and the stock has increased to about 7 lacs tolas after allowing for this week's importation of about Rs. one crore worth of gold. As a result of good demand on a market with limited supplies the price of sovereigns for ready advanced from Rs. 13.6-6 to Rs. 13-8-3 but closes at Rs 13-3-0 for ready and Rs. 13.6 5 for delivery middle September. The official price of gold in London is unchanged at 84s. 11 1/2d. and the market prices is 84s. 10 1/2d. In our market the highest and lowest rates during the week were Rs. 21-5-9 and Rs. 21-5 for ready, and 5th August settlement, Rs. 21-5 and Rs. 21-4-3 for 3rd Sept. settlement, and Rs. 21-4-6 and Rs. 21-4 for 2nd October settlement. The incoming mail is expected to bring about £ 125,000 gold. Inclusive of these arrivals and excluding the present week's shipment the total visible supply from London to India is about £357,000. The total import of gold during the week amounted to Rs. 1,20,74,310 in bar and coin. This week's shipment is expected to be £190,000.

SILVER.

Silver rates have improved by about 6 annas per 100 tolas with a comparatively fair amount of business passing. This being the settlement week, supplies for near delivery are small and with bears covering the rate for Aug. settlement is about two to three annas higher than that for September. Some sales are reported to have been effected on American account during the week. In Shanghai the rate for T. T. on London declined from 3s. 2d. to 3s. 1-15/16d, but subsequently improved and closes at 3s. 2 3/16d. The off-take averages some 125 bars a day and the stock is estimated at about 4,500 bars. The highest and Lowest rates during the week in London were 32-1/8d, and 31-15/16d. for ready and 32-3/16d. and 32d. for forward. In our market the highest and lowest rates during the week were Rs. 72-3-0 and Rs. 72-1-0 for ready, Rs. 72-6-0 and Rs. 72-1-0 for 5th August settlement, Rs. 72-6-0 and Rs. 72 for 7th September settlement and Rs. 72-3-0 and Rs. 72-1-0 for 6th October settlement. The incoming mail is expected to bring about £30,000 silver. Inclusive of these arrivals and excluding the present week's shipment the total visible supply from London to India is about £112,000. The total import of silver during the week was 1,528 bars and Rs. 74,990 in coin. This week's shipment is expected to be £160,000.

Shares :—The Stock Exchange was open for two days during the period under report. Cotton mill shares have declined on profit taking, the tone of the market at the close being easy. The following are the fluctuations in some of the shares :—Bombay Dyings Rs. 800 793-12; Century Rs. 333-4—335; Central India Rs. 456-4—455; Crescent Rs. 200—197½; Fazulbhoy Rs. 807-8 x.d. Rs. 803-12 x.d.; Madhowji Rs. 98-12—91-4, New Great Rs. 282-8—276-4, Pearls Rs. 436-4 x.d.; Simplex Rs. 102-8—98-12 and Swadeshi Rs. 446-4—447-8.

The miscellaneous section was dull. The pride of Andhra Valleys improved by about Rs. 2/8 to Rs. 97/8, while Tata Hydros declined from Rs. 816/4xd. to Rs. 803/12xd. Tata Irons Ordys. and Defds. were steady at Rs. 14/12 and Rs. 53/12. Bombay Trams are quoted at Rs. 96/4. Cement shares were steady. Bundis being quoted at Rs. 6/8, Katni Ordys. at Rs. 30 and Defds. at Rs. 90. Railway shares are unchanged.

Among Bank shares Imperial Banks improved from Rs. 1405xd. to Rs. 1407/8xd and Contributories from Rs. 362/8xd. to Rs. 363/12xd. Bank of India shares are unchanged at Rs. 70/4xd and those of the Central Bank declined from Rs. 23/8 to Rs. 22/2xd.

The "Times, London" reports that in the recent debate in the House of Commons on Indian economic questions prominent attention was given to the position of the cotton mill industry which is at present passing through a very critical stage. Among those who took a keen interest in the debate were certain members who had intimate knowledge of the Indian viewpoint owing to their long connection with commercial life in India. Their expressed opinion was that in order to counteract foreign competition, relief should be afforded to the Indian mill industry by the abolition of the 3½ per cent. Excise duty, and that some arrangement must be made with a view to bringing about closer relations between Lancashire and Bombay for their mutual advantage. This view found support from almost all the members and the Under Secretary of State stated that the question of the abolition of the Excise duty is engaging the attention of Government of India who are pledged to this course when financial conditions permit, and he gave it as his personal opinion that any arrangement between Lancashire and Bombay must be on the lines of Imperial preference. One of the members drew the attention of the House to the improved production of cotton going on from year to year and as, with the extension of irrigation in Sindh and the Punjab, the output is likely to be much more than at present, he urged that its flow should be to Great Britain rather than to foreign countries.

EAST INDIA COTTON ASSN. LTD

WEEKLY REPORT

Bombay, August 14

Description	Spot Prices 13-8-25	6-8-25
Bengals F. G.	..	470
Punjab American F. G.	..	490
Dolleras F. G.	..	445
Kadi Viramgum F. G	..	450
Southern G.	..	434
	Futures	
Hedge Contracts	13-8-25	6-8-25
Bengals Dec/Jany. 26	..	466
Broach, July/Aug	..	461
„ April/May 26	..	425
Omra F. Dec/Jany 26	..	411

Receipts for the week ending 13th August 1925 and corresponding period last year.

	Bales. 1924-25.	Bales. 1923-24
Bengals	1623	267
Oomras	3 78	713
Dholleras	895	8 8
Broach	..	..
Southerns	09 8	1250
Persians	472	7
Americans	..	..
Egyptians	..	..
East Africans.	87	315
Other sorts..	..	.0
Total	190.8	3180

Export for the week ending 13th August 1925.

	Bales.
United Kingdom	19.0
Continent	832
China	1700
Japan	24300
Coast Ports	..
Total	25748
Afloat in harbour Europe	3026
China, Japan & Coast Ports	14915
Total	17941

Receipts from 1st September 1924 to 13th August 1925 and corresponding period in last 4 years.

1924-25	1923-24	1922-23	1921-22	1920-21
3592727	3270447	3604652	3440180	2777076

Exports from 1st September 1924 to 13th August 1925 and corresponding period in last 4 years

1924-25	1923-24	1922-23	1921-22	1920-21
United Kingdom.				
68910	120287	127912		
Continent			629138	477262
617464	937660	698034		
China				
346940	243331	375902	380637	308436
Japan				
1647093	1283288	1697035	1424258	1033184
Coast Ports				
32055	52166	50716	49367	23867
Totl 2712164	2660632	2949599	2483931	1842744

*Including 9679 bales for U. S. of America.

	Bales.
Total exports by rail from 1st September 1924 to 13th August 1925	15,785
Estimated stock of raw cotton held by exporters, dealers and Mills in Bombay on 13th August 1925	5,59,298
Exports from Karachi for the week ending 3rd August 1925	4435

(@) Exports from Karachi from 1st September 1924 to 3rd August 1925 9,51,312

Exports from Karachi during the corresponding period last year 7,15,781

(@) Figures now shown are from 1st September.

WEEKLY COTTON REPORT.

(Specially written for "The Bombay Chronicle.")

As a result of exceptionally favourable weather conditions prevailing over almost the entire Cotton Belt, and the excellent progress that the crop has been making the Bureau Report that was published on the 8th instant, and which shows the condition of the United States Cotton Crop as on the 1st August as 65.6 per cent and gives an estimated yield of 1,35,66,000 bales has been thrown completely in the back ground Disregarding this super-imposed document, the New York market has acted rationally for it has cared to concern itself with what the present state of the crop is and not with what its past state hed been. And as predilected by us the market has decline further and for the week ending the 13th shows a nett decline of 80 points in the October position.

Local Market :—Fluctuations in our market during the week under review have again been monotonously dull. The principal feature of the week has been the further heavy buying of Oomra contracts by the Japanese houses, which has, despite the bearish advices from America, kept the price level very steady here. In addition to this the Japanese have also bought in good quantities delivery contracts for December and January of Berars and Khandesh with a premium varying from Rs. 30 to Rs. 40 over the hedge contracts of Oomra. Apart from this the volume of business passing in the local market during the week has been disappointing, and the rate for Broach April/May has hovered round the level of Rs. 422½ to Rs. 426.

Spot Market :—In the spot market Westerns are in good demand, by the shippers. The local mill agents are yet reluctant to buy any more than their immediate requirements, as they are still afraid of a general strike. The mill hands seem to be disposed to strike as they still believe that not all the avenues of economy have been explored. On the further course of the price of cotton we continue to hold bearish views. With excellent weather conditions prevailing over the entire Cotton Belt, and the rapidity with which ginning is making progress, we believe it is good to sell on any rallies; as the pressure of hedge selling which is reported to have already commenced owing to the early movement of the crop will have a depressing effect upon the market; and even if trade evinces interest to buy at further recisions we are very doubtful whether, as the reason progresses, the demand would continue at the recissions, when once it is realised that there would be more cotton for sale than trade could possibly absorb.

WEEKLY COTTON MARKET REPORT.

The American markets continue dull in tone and we have to record the undernoted declines in values since we wrote a week ago.

	Oct.	Jan.	Mar.	May
New York 6/8/25	24.01	23.67	23.98	24.30
Do. 13/8/25	23.24	23.02	23.33	23.63
	—.77	—.65	—.65	—.67
Liverpool 6/8/25.	12.74	12.68	12.73	12.77
Do. 13/8/25.	12.48	12.43	12.50	12.56
	—.26	—.25	—.23	—.21

The condition report issued last Saturday came much as expected the figures being 65.6 per cent. indicating a crop of 13,566,000 bales. The first Ginners Report was published the same day, and stated that 159,000 bales had been ginned up to 1st August as compared with 30,000 bales at the same date last year. Since the last condition report was made up weather conditions appear to have been appreciably better and private crop estimates are being increased. In addition the Ginning figures reflect an early crop movement which is expected to be heavy. With conditions as they are we are of opinion that Cotton interests in America will have great difficulty in maintaining prices at their present level as with favourable weather conditions every one realises the possibilities of an acreage of nearly 48½ million acres. A final outturn of 15 million bales is now more than a possibility and when one adds to this the increased carry over plus the probability of larger crops in other parts of the World one cannot but realise, the danger of the Bull side of the market. It is argued on the other side that the large consumption of last year is a Bull factor pointing to a still greater consumption this coming season. This larger consumption on the contrary must have filled up most of the urgent needs for the manufactured article and in addition has added considerably to the World's stock of unsold cloth. Unless prices move to a level lower than that of last season we do not feel optimistic about an increase in consumption over the figure of last year which was about 14½ millions which of course included about ½ million bales of linters.

As compared with Americans our local market has remained very steady. This is as expected as our New Crop prices for some time have been relatively cheap and our stock of old crop cotton very small. This relative cheapness we have now to a large extent lost and prices here should now respond to any decline on the other side especially as our new crop prospects continue very favourable and trade generally shows little sign of the long looked for improvement. Most of the demand for our New Crops has been on Japanese account and the contract bought has been Fine Oomra which is now quoted at only Rs. 14 under the price of New Broach. This difference we consider too small and we recommend sales of Oomras.

BOMBAY CITY AND SUBURBS.

ENGAGEMENTS

TO-DAY.

The s.s. Delta with the English mail leaves at 1 p.m.

Public Lecture by Prof. N. N. Lala on "The Mogul and the Maratha Systems of Administration at the Bombay Students Brotherhood, Sandhurst Road, 6-15 p.m. (S.T.).

Condolence meeting re. death of Sjt. N. B. Vibhaker, Amroli House, Girgaum Back Road, 5-30 p.m. Mr. V. P. Vaidya, to preside.

SUNDAY, August 16.

Centenary celebration of India's "G. O. M.", Framji Cowasji Institute, Mr. D. F. Mulla to preside, Sir D. E. Watcha, will address the gathering.

Monster meeting of Tenants re. the amended Bombay Rent Act, Marwadi Vidyalaya Hall, Mr. Balubhai T. Desai, presiding, 6 p.m.

Domestic Occurrence.

IN MEMORIAM.

Master Vaman alias Mohan, the only son of Mr. Jagannath Vamanrao Muzumdar departed this life at 10 a.m. on Monday the 10th August 1925 at Karachi, deeply mourned by his sorrowing parents and old Grandmother and a large circle of relations and friends. May his soul rest in Heaven.

A Lodge of Sorrow in memory of the late R. W. Bro. Dr. D. R. Bardi, will be held by Lodge Rising Star of W. I. No. 342 S. C. at Freemasons' Hall Fort on Saturday, the 15th instant, at 6-30 p.m. (S.T.). All Master Masons are invited to be present.

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Telegu Bal Dnanottejak Samaj.—Under the auspices of the above Society Mr. V. M. Jalvatla, will deliver a lecture on "The Coming Municipal Election" in the Telagu Hall, Kamatipura to-day at 8-30 p.m., when Mr. S. B. Awar, will preside.

Bombay Students' Brotherhood.—Professor N. N. Lala, M.A. will deliver a public lecture on "The Mogul and the Maratha Systems of Administration" at the Bombay Students' Brotherhood, Sandhurst Road, to-day at 6-15 p.m. (S.T.).

A Correction.—In connection with the "Kunchangauri Maternity Home" recently started at Parakh Building, Sandhurst Road, we are given to understand that the charge of Rs. 30 for a twelve days' treatment includes the charge of Rs. 10 for delivery.

Saraswat Brahmin Samaj.—"There will be a music of satar by Mr. Yeshwant Mangeshrao Telang to-day (Saturday) 8-30 to 10 p.m., and a lecture on "Future of Hindu Civilization" by Mr. Pandurang J. Sabnis, on Sunday 6-0 to 7 p.m. in the S. B. Samaj Hall, Girgaon.

Municipal Election.—Mr. V. S. Dabholkar intends standing as a candidate for election to the Bombay Municipal Corporation from "D" Ward at the forthcoming general election.

Catholic and Prohibition.—Mr. Terence Nunes will propose in the Catholic Gymkhana pavilion that the "Prohibition is Catholic" to-day at 6 p.m. Mr. Gomes, Bar-at-Law, will second the proposition. Prof. C. Menezes will speak for the opposition. Mr. P. L. Thakar, Presidency Magistrate, Bombay, will preside.

Buddha Society.—The usual fortnightly class of the Society will be conducted by Mr. Narmadashankar D. Mehta, B.A., at Nair Building, Sandhurst Road to-morrow (Sunday) at 9-30 a.m. (S.T.) The Subject for the class will be "Hindu Yoga and Buddhist Yogachara."

Bombay Students' Brotherhood.—The monthly conversational meeting of the Bombay Students' Brotherhood will be held to-morrow (Sunday) at 6 p.m. (S.T.) a the Brotherhood premises, Sandhurst Road, when Mr. W. M. Pilgaoker, Bar-at-Law will speak on "What is National Education?"

Parsi Rajkeya Subha.—Under the auspices of the Parsi Rajkeya Subha, there will be a public meeting at the Marwadi Vidyalaya Hall to-day (Saturday) at 6 p.m. (S.T.) when Dr. Kaikhosru K. Dadachanji will deliver his third lecture on "Swaraj and Indianisation of the Army within ten years" and Mr. J. K. Mehta will preside.

Bombay [illegible] of Social Workers.—The second [illegible] of the Council will be held to-day (Saturday) at the office of the Social Service League at 4-30 p.m. to consider the steps to be taken for organizing the 1st Session of the Bombay Social Service Conference. Members as well as those intending to join the Council are requested to attend.

Bombay Bengalees and Sir Surendra.—Under the auspices of the Bengal Club, a public meeting of the Bengalee citizens of Bombay will be held to-day (Saturday) at 6-30 p.m. in the Damodar Thackersey Hall, Parel, to expdess condolence at the death of Sir Surendra Nath Banerjee. Sj. Nagandra Nath Gupta, ex-Editor of the "Tribune" will preside.

A Condolence Meeting.—Under the joint auspices of Shri Gujarat Mandal, the Sahitya Sansad and Ville Parle Sahitya Sabha, a public meeting will be held in the Amroli House, Girgaum Back Road to-day at 5-30 p.m. (S.T.) under the presidentship of Mr. V. P. Vaidya, to express regret at the untimely death of Mr. Krisnugias B. Vighakar. Messrs. Nagindas Master, K Munshi, C. N. Pandya, Mansukhlal Master, Jamnadas Dwarkadas, Jayasukhlal Mehta, Mavji Sheth, Pandhubhai Sharma and others will address the meeting.

Social Workers' Training Class.—The Social Workers' Training Class will be held at the Demonstration Hall of the Secondary Training College to-day (Saturday) at 5 p.m. (S.T.) when Prof. R. M. Joshi will deliver a lecture on "Civics." On Sunday the 16th instant, Prin. T. A. Kulkarni will deliver a lecture on "Crime and Punishment" at 8 a.m. Owing to unavoidable circumstances Prin. H. R. Hamley will not be able to conduct the class to-day.

Lokmanya Rashtriya Kanyashala Mela.—The arrangements of the School Mela for this year are complete. The girls are trained by Prof. Patwardhan and Mr. Vasantrao Jadhav of Ranghodhechhu Natak Samaj in scientific and popular music. Mr. B. V. Varerkar, the Marathi dramatist has specially written an attractive dialogue and it will be acted by girls of the ages of 8 to 11. Those who wish to invite the Mela should see the Secretary between 11 and 4-30 in the school at the "Congress House." The mela will also give public performances in Bombay Theatres.

Religious Discourses:—Swami Yatiswaranamda of the Sri Ramakrishna Mission will conduct a public class in English on the Gospel of Sri Ramakrishna at the Sri Ramakrishna Ashram, Khar, Bandra, at 8-30 a.m. (S. T.) on Sunday (tomorrow). The Swami will also give a public discourse on Raja Yoga at the Bombay Students' Brotherhood, Arya Bhavan, Sandhurst Road, Bombay at 4 p.m. (S. T.) the same day. Swami Viswananda will deliver a public discourse on the "Gita" at Kirtikar's Wadi, Dadar at 8-30 a.m. (to-morrow) Sunday. The Gita class at Saraswat Hall, Alexandra Road, Gamdevi, will be conducted by the Swami at 6 p.m. to-day.

Radio Club.—The following programme will be broadcast by the Bombay Presidency Radio Club to-day (Saturday):—Pianoforte Solo, Selection from "Il Travatore", Miss F L MacLean.; Song: "Break of Day", Miss Plunkett; Song: "Little Irish Girl" Mr. T C Rogers; Piano Solo: Selected, Miss Sylvia Mendoza: Duet "I know a bank' Misses Maclean and Plunkett; Song: Selected, Mr. Seebird:—Reuter's Summary.—Pianoforte Solo: Salut d'amour, Miss F. L Maclean, Song: "The Birds go North again" Miss Plunkett; Two Little Song: 1. "When the Swallows homeward fly." 2. "Let us forget" (maude Valerie White, Mr. Seebird.: Violin Solo: Master A Mendoza, Song: "At Dawning" Miss F L Maclean; A. Recitation: Mr. T. Rogers.

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PROSPECT OF SETTLEMENT OF CRIMINAL CASE.

At the Esplanade Police Court before Mr. H. P. N. Dastur, Mr. O. Brown, Barat-law with Mr. K. F. Nariman, pleader, appeared on Friday and requested his worship to postpone the case in which Akbarali Abdulhusein Adamji Pirbhoy had charged his uncle Currimbhoy Adamji Pirbhoy with criminal breach of trust in respect of ornaments valued at Rs. 21,000 in order to enable the parties to come to a settlement. His Worship adjourned hearing till the 25th instant.

CHARGES AGAINST ISMAIL JAMAL.

LADIES' PROTEST MEETING.

Captain Jenabai Ebrahim, H. H. the Aga Khan Ladies' Volunteer Corps has issued a public invitation to Ismaili sisters to the general meeting, arranged to be called to-morrow (Sunday), at 2 p.m. (S. T.) in the Hall of the bungalow situate in the Wadi of H. H. the Aga Khan "to protest against the mean attacks made on our holy religion and against the unbearable tyranny practised by the Mahajan and people of Patdi." There will be resolutions passed congratulating the supreme council of Kathiawar for taking up this question and asking it to take necessary and complete steps for the future. Rehmatbai Sheth Jerajbhai Peerbhai will preside at the meeting.

BOMBAY AMUSEMENTS.

PATHE.

Harold Lloyd has again proved that he is the most consistent fun-maker on the screen by his latest Pathe five reel comedy, "Dr. Jack" which is running for the third which is running for the third week at the Pathe Cinema and attracting large crowds every night. There are comedians who make funny pictures, but Lloyd is the most consistent and dependable of the sons of laughter. In "Dr. Jack" Lloyd gives us a comedy with a serious vein running through it, but the laughter is continuous and everlasting. Never was there anything funnier screened than Lloyd's acrobatic antics in his weird disguise as the madman. The poker game is a gem of cleverness, as is the comedian's scene with the freckled kid. Then there is his ride on the back of the bronco calf, and—but why continue? It is a laugh from start to finish.

EMPIRE.

"Captain January," which commences at the Empire Cinema to-night, is a charming story of a little sea-waif rescues from a wreck by a venerable lighthouse keeper, who takes the orphan of the storm to his heart. Baby Peggy, one of the most lovable of young film stars, who takes the part of the orphan, is a child that will go straight to your heart, and the story of the simple devotion of the lighthouse keeper to his young ward has a big appeal.

EXCELSIOR.

"Twenty Three and a Half Hours Leave" which is at the Excelsior to-night is a story of laughs and thrills. If you want to see how Sergeant Grey, by a surprise attack captured the daughter of the Colonel of the Regiment, and incidentally laid a German spy by the heels, see this amusing picture.

EMPRESS.

"His Majesty the American", which commences this evening has in it inimitable Fairbanks playing the leading part.

"RANA HAMIR."

The Maharashtra Film Company's latest production "Rana Hamir" dealing with a thrilling episode in the annals of Rajputana, is running into its second week at the Majestic Cinema from to-night. The films of this Company are always of a high order and have elicited unstinted admiration even from Western critics. The 'Daily Express" of London, for example, thus refers to the Company's beautiful film, "The Treasure of Kalyan" which was shown in Bombay a few months ago and is now being exhibited at the Wembley Exhibition:—

"India's wonderful store of legend and superb aristocracy, its immemorial customs and magnificent ceremonial, are marvellously revealed in "The Treasure of Kalyan", an all Indian photoplay, produced at Kolhapur, in the Deccan, by the Maharastra Film Company. This is a most charming production, full of strangely wistful beauty, and acted with extraordinary grace and dignity by a mixed cast of Moslems and Hindus, every one of whom is a natural aristocrat.

Any film producer who wishes to learn what sincerity and simplicity, aided by sheer, natural grace, can do, should visit the Indian cinema at Wembley, where "The Treasure of Kalyan" is on view."

WELLINGTON.

The management of the Wellington Cinema have decided to repeat for one week more—to-night and this week—the celebrated stupendous photo-drama "Enemies of Women". Sunday the 16th inst. being the Anniversary Day of the late Dr. Dadabhoy Naoroji, the Cinema Hall of the Wellington Cinema will be used on Sunday evening for the Anniversary celebrations. Therefore on Sunday there will be only three shows at: 7; 8-45 and 10-30 p.m. (S. T.)

WEST-END.

Cynicism versus faith—these are the two forces that struggle for the mastery in "A Woman's Faith," Universal-Jewel production to be shown to-night and this week at the West End Cinema (New Churney Road). It is a screen adaptation of Clarence Budington Kelland's famous story "Miracle," which ran as a serial in the Ladies' Home Journal. In it is being featured Alma Rubens with Percy Marmont. In "A Woman's Faith" is found a man whose belief in everything has been shattered by a series of events that left him wandering aimlessly in the midst of spiritual darkness. Later this spiritual darkness became a physical one, for blindness came to the man whose soul had been crushed. Opposite this is found a woman, her soul battered and torn by suspicion and forced out of her real place in life by a false but apparently well substantiated charge of killing her brother. But unlike the man who has no place upon which to lay his burden she still retains her faith in prayer and in divine influence.

KRISHNA CINEMA.

Krishna Cinema, which was recently opened at the Dubash Theatre near Charny Road, has been showing the splendid film of "Lalan Vanzari", the production of the Krishna Films. This film has been drawing large crowds.

HUGE FRAUDS.

TWO EUROPEANS CONVICTED.

At the Esplanade Police Court Mr. S. S. Rangnekar, Chief Presidency Magistrate delivered judgment in the case in which Inspector Smith of the C.I.D., charged Herbert Carberry "alias" Wilkinson and Aleck Maitland Mawley, two Europeans with cheating and abetment.

There were eight charges against the accused which were heard in three different sets. Mr. R. P. Thanawalla prosecuted while Mr. Frank Oliveira with Mr. DeCruz appeared for Carberry. Mawley was undefended.

The prosecution alleged that Carberry started early in 1924 in Bombay a lottery organisation called the Presidency Club, Janjira State. He printed and distributed lakhs of handbills and pamphlets setting out details of his lottery. The cash prizes amounting to Rs. 50,000 half of which would be given away to the winner of the first prize were announced. All the coupon tickets of the lottery were signed by Carberry "under the orders of the board."

Tempted by the luring oger Messrs. T. Pereira, M. R. Daniel and S. K. Mukerjee bought a ticket each sold for a rupee. The drawing, which was to have taken place on March 23 was postponed to March 30, but meanwhile Carberry assisted by Mawley made out the winning list and allotted the principal prizes to unsold tickets which there were no books of account properly kept.

Mr. P. Correia, a clerk under Carberry, said he was one day taken by Carwerry behind the Town Hall and photographed in his master's coat and hat. That photo was represented as that of the winner of the second prize of Rs. 5,000 in the March drawing and distributed along with the tickets for a subsequent drawing. A cheque for Rs. 5,000 was drawn in favour of Mr. Correia who cashed it, but paid back the amount on the following day, partly into the personal account of Carberry with the Allahabad Bank and partly into that of the Club with the P. and O. Bank.

Numerous complaints were received by the police and on enquiries made by them revealed that there were no more than Rs. 10,000 to the credit of the Club's account with the P. and O. Bank, as against the total prize amount declared to be Rs. 50,000. The Dewan of Janjira also wrote to say that the lottery had nothing to do with that State.

Both the accused pleaded not guilty.

Carberry contended that all the representations contained in his pamphlets were correct, while Mawley stated he was only a servant of Carberry and acted as he told him to do.

JUDGMENT.

His Worship, in convicting both the accused delivered a lengthy judgment in the course of which he observed that the present case was the outcome of a huge fraud and swindle perpetrated on the public. Thousands of tickets had been sold in and oustide Bombay and the offence certainly called for a deterrent punishment.

He therefore, sentenced Carberry in all to a term of nine months' rigorous imprisonment and a fine of Rs. 400, or, in default four months' further rigorous imprisonment. Mawley was sentenced in all to five months' rigorous imprisonment and a fine of Rs. 180, or, in default, two months' additional rigorous imprisonment.

INDIAN SPIRITUALIST.

A hearty send-off was given to Mr. V. D. Rishi, the Indian representative attending the International Spiritualistic Congress to be held in Paris next month,

by his freuds and sympathisers in Poona, Messrs. S. M. Paranjpe and D. V. Gokhale made elogistic speeches. A small purse was also presented to him Mr. Rishi sails for Paris to-day.

GOKUL ASTAMI TRAGEDY.

A DANCER KILLED.

On Wednesday at about 11 a.m. a party of "Govinda" dancers had collected at Nariel Wadi, Mount Road, Mazagaon, and were trying to break the pot filled with curds suspended on a rope when a ventilation pipe attached to the wall came down and smashed the head of Mahadeo Rakhmaji (12) who was among the dancers. Mahadeo was removed to J. J. Hospital, where he died soon after admission, death being to the fracture of the skull.

At an inquest held by the Coroner the jury returned a verdict of accidental death.

DEATH FROM BURNS.

Mazarali Devraj, a Memon aged 25 years having his shop at Duncan Road, was boiling ghee on a primus stove on Wednesday when the tin fell on him and his clothes caught fire. As he received extensive injuries by burns, he was removed to J. J. Hospital where he died on Thursday.

At an inquest held by the Coroner the jury returned a verdict of accidental death.

DEADLY ASSAULTS.

ONE KILLED. FOUR STABBED.

At about 9 p.m. on Thursday information was received at Pydhoni Police Station, that one Syed Kabir Syed Nazir had stabbed Abbas Hussein in Hussein Khalifas lane. The police on enquiries arrested the assailant Syed Kabir and placed him before the Coroner at the inquest on Friday. The assailant after killing the deceased stabbed four other persons all of whom were removed to G. T. Hospital.

The police Surgeon, who made the *post mortem* examination, said the deceased had ten wounds on his body, viz.:—throat, shoulder, right elbow, wrist, hand, stomach, chest, ear and scalp, etc.

Two knives, one a butcher's and another a clasp were produced blood stained in the court. About an inch of the edge of the butcher's knife was stuck up to the deceased's skull and remained so even after his death.

The cause of this brutal assault is not yet ascertained and the Coroner postponed enquiry to enable the police to make further investigation.

The persons admitted to the G. T. Hospital are: (1) Rustom Murzban (2) Jodiba Hari and (3) Abdul Gafoor who have received various injuries. A fourth victim was discharged on Friday morning as his injury was a trifling one.

CALLOUS BRUTALITY.

CHARGE AGAINST TEA SHOPKEEPER.

Rao Bahadur B. N. Athavle, the Coroner, held on Friday an inquest which revealed callous brutality of a Bohra tea shop-keeper named Mohmedali Peerbhoy having his shop at Jambli Moholla towards his servant Mohmed Baranuddin aged 23 years who died on the 2nd instant.

Dr. Ardeshir Eruchshaw Hakim, a medical practitioner, said in his evidence that he knew Mohmedali. On the 5th instant Mohmedali came to him and requested him to attend an urgent case in Bhajipala lane. He went to the place and found a woman (Mohmedali's wife) crying who told witness that her husband had been unjustly accused of having assaulted a Mohmedan servant (decaased). She urged witness to certify that he had medically treated the servant as her husband had made a statement to the police to that effect.

After the police Surgeon had deposed that the deceased had marks of assault on his back, legs and arms etc., etc. and that in his opinion death was due to diarrhoea shock and septic poisoning from burns, the jury returned a verdict of death by diarrhoea, shock and septic poisoning. They also remarked that an attempt had been made to bribe Dr. Ardeshir Eruchshaw Hakim to get a false certificate and said that Mohmedali in whose employ the deceased was very severely caned the deceased when the latter was lying very ill and thereby accelerated the death of the deceased.

The police arrested Mohmedali, who would be placed before a magistrate charged under section 304A.

SATURDAY CRICKET.

To the Editor of the Chronicle.

Sir.—Drawn matches are unfortunately typical of the majority of Saturday matches in Bombay. With the limited time at one's disposal—4 hours at most (from 2-30 to 6-30) the result cannot be far otherwise, unless one side is outclassed or has a series of bad luck.

In these half-day matches the luck of the toss, where two teams are otherwise evenly matched and a close game is expected plays too preponderating a part in the issue. The fortunate side, which wins it, is able to play carefully without taking undue risks, and is not to the same extent, obsessed by the question of time. If not dismissed earlier the side taking first knock declares *only* when the position is considered quite safe i.e. when sufficient runs have been compiled to make defeat almost impossible in the time, generally just over an hour, available for play. The play of the side going in last is in consequence dominated and influenced—to the detriment of good cricket by the shortness of time left to make the necessary runs. The futility of attempting the impossible is immediately realised and instead of courting disaster by wild slogging, batsmen are rightly instructed to play their ordinary game and the match as a rule ends in a *draw*.

This is not a satisfactory state of affairs and to ensure Saturday matches becoming more *sporting*, attractive and enjoyable to *both* sides, the desirability of dividing the time available for play equally and adjudging the winner by the bigger score made, irrespective of the number of wickets lost, is suggested for serious consideration by *all* Cricket Clubs in Bombay. In the event of rain interrupting play for say 20 minutes when the first side is in, each eleven would have 10 minutes loss to bat. A drawn match will thus only occur, if rain interferes with the game in the second half and if the side batting then have compiled a smaller score and have not all been dismissed.—Yours, etc.,

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CRICKET FIXTURES.

The following is a list of important week end cricket fixtures:—

TO-DAY (SATURDAY).

Parsi Gymkhana vs. St. Xavier's College—Kennedy Sea Face.

Islam Gym. vs. Bombay Gym. 'B'—Esplanade.

Customs vs. "Times of India"—Esplanade.

Hindu Gym. 'B' vs. Parsi Gym. 'B'—Kennedy Sea Face.

Elphinstone C. C. vs. G. I. P. Railway—Esplanade.

Y. M. C. A. vs. R. I. M. Dockyard—Oval.

E. D. Sassoon vs. National Bank—Oval.

Wilson College vs. Imperial Bank—Oval.

SPORTING NEWS

POONA RACES.

SUMMER MEETING:— FOURTH DAY.

SELECTIONS BY "SENEX."

THE SATARA PLATE.—Div. I. 1 mile. 2-30 p.m.

YOUNG TAKREET	1
ROSCOFF	2
DAWOOD	3

THE SATARA PLATE.—Div. II. 1 mile. 3 p.m.

MOOSAAD	1
PRIDE	2
VIN	3

THE SATARA PLATE.—Div. III. 1 mile. 3-30 p.m.

MOOTRUB	1
WANDERER	2
SAYYAR	3

THE SATARA PLATE.—Div. IV. 1 mile. 4 p.m.

TAMARAN	1
SOLOMON'S SONG	2
HAWAM	3

THE ELPHINSTONE PLATE.—6 furlongs. 4-30 p.m.

ROCK HONEY	1
GRAND EXCEL	2
LADY THED	3

THE EGERTON HANDICAP.—1¼ miles. 5 p.m.

DICKY BIRD	1
BHAWANI TALWAR	2
CHARLES WILLIAM	3

THE SANDHURST PLATE.—6 furlongs. 5-30 p.m.

CHUMMY	1
HUSKY	2
EDDY	3

THE ASCOT PLATE.—9 furlongs. 6 p.m.

MARYLAND	1
SAUCE	2
RAKINGS	3

THE LOHAGAON PLATE.—5 furlongs. 6-30 p.m.

MOSCOW	1
COMMANDER	2
BALLARD	3

COUNTY CRICKET MATCHES.

LONDON, August 13.

The following are the results of some of the county cricket matches that began on Wednesday:—

Sussex vs. Northamptonshire:—Sussex won by 180 runs. Sussex 106 and 314 (Bowley 89, Tate 121, Jupp 5 for 49). Northants 130 and 110 (Tate 4 for 31). A. E. Gilligan sprained his legs while fielding and retired.

Worcestershire vs. Lancashire:—Lancashire won by eight wickets. Worcester 114 and 160 (Parkin 6 for 60). Lancashire 213 (Root 5 for 81) and 64 for 2.

The following are the closing scores in other county matches:—

Gloucestershire vs Notts at Cheltenham:—Gloucester 66 (Richmond 7 for 30, Staples 3 for 21). Notts 122 (Parker 4 for 50, Mills 5 for 46). Gloucester in the second innings 89 (Richmond 7 for 53, Staples 3 for 29). Notts in the second innings 18 for one wicket.

Derbyshire vs Glamorgan:—Glamorgan 126 and 169 (Storer 4 for 49). Derby 144 (Ryan 7 for 70) and 67 for 4.

There was no play in the following matches on account of rain:—Middlesex vs. Kent; Surrey vs. Leicester; Hampshire vs. Somerset and Essex vs. Yorkshire.—Reuter's Special.

BOXING AT CALCUTTA.

LIGHTWEIGHT CHAMPIONSHIP OF INDIA.

CALCUTTA, Aug. 14.

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ABSENTEE RULERS.

The evil of absentee Maharajas is becoming so acute nowadays that we cannot miss the opportunity provided by the proposed visit of Gandhiji to the State of Cutch to draw his attention to this, one of the most poisonous sores of present-day Indian States administration. As the august visitor to Cutch will be aware, the ruler of that State—singularly abstemious so far as the joys of foreign travel were concerned during the first forty years of his rulership—is contemplating third visit to Europe or outside India in the course of four years, each visit costing the miserable, hard-worked, rack-rented ryots of the State ten or fifteen lakhs without counting the loss or waste occasioned by such tours and as revealed in the Cutch case in the Bombay High Court the other day. As recent cases have proved, some of the Maharajas of India have not yet learnt that the money they waste on the sirens and sharpers of the "civilised" West does not come out of their own earnings; there is no one to teach them that they are but servants and parasites of the people, who pass a voluntary ordinance of self-denial so that these celebrities may indulge in rioutous and nauseating luxury. The Mahatma must, however, remember that though the State of Cutch and its ruler offer to-day a convenient excuse for the publicists of Cutch, or those sympathising with them, to direct the searchlight of public inquiry and criticism on the doings of congenital incompetents such as some of the absentee Maharajas are, there are not a few of them who present everyday the unedifying spectacle of enthroned extravagance of the most reprehensible type. If Gandhiji will care to count up, there are at the present time some dozen Maharajas of the highest class, whose aggregate spendings in foreign countries must be close upon five crores of rupees every year. In a recent work on the "Wealth and Taxable Capacity of India," Prof. K. T. Shah estimates overmoderately the waste and drain and loss entailed on India through the extravagance of the Indian princes outside the country at something like half-a-crore per annum; and even then we wondered if this meticulous and painstaking authority had really reckoned up all the known extravagance, reported in papers, and provable in courts of law in case of challange.

The drain of the economic resources of India on account of the foreign personnel of the present Indian Government may be regarded as an act of God; but the drain, increasing every year, due to the excesses of the Indian princes and nobles visiting these foreign haunts of luxury and betraying indifference to every consideration of responsibility to the people and lack of solicitude for the well-being of the wretched apologies for humanity miscalling themselves men and women, is intolerable and unpardonable in the last degree. A Patiala engages in London a suite of a hundred rooms in one of the costliest hotels in London, which must involve his subjects in accommodation alone something like Rs. 50 lakhs a year, if not more. Jodhpur carts a polo team all the distance at the expense of a sporting scion from the sands of Marwar. Even the once well-affected and sympathetic Gaekwad has not escaped the taint of his age and the infection of his class of exalted idlers, and spends in his perennial absence countless sums to maintain, perhaps the reputation of the gorgeous East in the baths and hospitals of the insatiable West. The Maharao of Cutch has joined the throng rather late in life; and we are even inclined to believe he has adopted these luxuries of a second childhood, not exclusively for his own personal benefit, or at his own entire initiative. But what of that? The loss is all the greater if rulers like him should in the evening of their days take up habits which could not extenuate irresponsible youth. Even if we assume, for the sake of argument, that the shocking extravagance of a Hari Sing does not occur everyday, (though those who know anything about these things are of the opinion that the slush squirted up by that case would seem to be only a fraction of the reality, if only the screen were cast off), the misapprehension created abroad about the economic prosperity or otherwise of this country by such examples of profligate extravagance is so intense that the entire country has to suffer for it.

There is a stronger case against the constant peregrinations of the princes towards the distant haunts of flirts and frauds. What happens to the administration of the Prince larking it away for all he is worth in a foreign land. Lord Curzon once during his viceroyalty took wandering royalties of India to task for the inattentiveness to their immediate duty implied in these excursions to Europe and America; but that conscientious, if somewhat bumptious, pro-Consul got very little thanks for his solicitude for the welfare of the people of the Indian States. And ever since his time, it seems to have become a matter of high policy with the guiding spirits of British India to encourage the Maharajas in every specimen of extravagance that folly could suggest and hardihood can execute. The Maharajas have, therefore, learnt to plead excuses of health when they can think of nothing else to pardon or conceal their barefaced negligence,—as the Gaekwad has been doing, all these years and teaching others of a less sober and staunch brand to follow the example. In the particular instance of Cutch, there were no outings of the staid and home-keeping Maharao between 1887 and 1921; but since that date, whether it is his new import from foreign strands—gout—or whether there are other powerful magnets attracting him and his entourage to the more congenial climates of absolute irresponsibility,—there has already been one other visit, and the Maharao is contemplating yet another next month, to last we know not how long. Will the Mahatma ask the Maharao of Cutch as to what arrangements he will make for the carrying on of his administration during this absence of an indefinite duration from his State? Will he inquire what steps the Rao has taken or is contemplating—and His Highness of Cutch is a past master in the splendid art of procrastination,—for the performance of even those routine duties, which a State like Cutch must demand every day? The Rao is favoured by fortune more than any of his predecessors. He has sons and grandsons alive before his eyes Does he trust his son and heir? If we were to judge from the experience the heir-apparent of Cutch had during the last absence of His Highness from Cutch; if we were to generalise from the treatment that trustful young man got for his doings on the return of the old man from his junketings, in a well-known case of official incompetence and consequent censure and suspension by the *pro tem* ruler of Cutch during his father's absence, we may be certain he will not attempt a second time to clean the Augean stables and run the risk of a second rebuff in the shape of heartless undoing of all that he may have done for the welfare of his people. The Maharao himself will, of course, consider more seriously this time, we think, before entrusting power to a prince of the blood, who seems to have no place in the heart of the ruler in comparison with the favourites of yesterday; and the spirits which encompass the Maharao and his fated grandson may, for all we know, be even now trying to displace the rightful successor by the unfledged, untried and inexperienced grandson of the present ruler. But whether that fond scheme is consummated or not; whether they succeed in declaring the heir-apparent to be,—we wonder what shall be his fate at the hands of the minions and mischief-makers in the present Government: will it be Rajkote, or Morvi, or Udaipur?—unfit to succeed his father when the time comes or even before that, the fact remains incontestable that the problem of placing some one in charge of the helm while the master *de jure* of the ship is away, is of the utmost importance. And if the well-being of half a million of human beings is of the slightest weight with the universally revered leader of the Indian people; if the welfare of the Prince and his province is of the least significance to the Mahatma, we would most respectfully suggest to him that during his visit, and taking advantage of the occasion, he should at least inquire if all that rumour says, all that has been alleged against the Maharao of Cutch, has any foundation in fact at all; and if his inquiries convince him that all is not for the best in this most woefully misgoverned of all misgoverned Indian states, then he, as the champion and spokesman of the people of India, should tell the Maharao and his power-intoxicated associates that if they do not take heed the reckoning that must follow would be stern and inexorable.

CHILD MARRIAGES.

We welcome the Bill which Mr. Har Bilas Sarda proposes to move shortly in the Legislative Assembly to regulate marriages of children among the Hindus. The Bill seeks to invalidate marriages of Hindu boys and girls under 15 and 12 respectively. Its object is, generally, to prevent the evils of too early marriages and, particularly, to reduce the number of child widows. The author of the Bill points out that, according to the Census Report of 1921, there were in that year 612 Hindu widows who were less than one year old, 2,024 who were under five years, 97,857 who were under ten and no less than 3,32,024 under fifteen years, most of these being prevented by custom from re-marrying. He rightly observes: "Such a lamentable state of affairs exists in no country, civilised or uncivilised, in the world. And it is high time that the law came to the assistance of these helpless victims of social customs." We agree, and for that very reason we regret that the Bill permits an exception in favour of the marriage of a girl of eleven if "the guardian conscientiously believes that the tenets of the religion which the girl professes enjoin that the girl should not be kept unmarried any longer." Obviously, this exception is contrived to make the Bill acceptable to the most conservative Hindu opinion. We think, however, that in a vital matter like this the plea of individual conscience and custom should be subordinated to the higher principles of humanity and justice underlying the Bill. Besides, even the conservative Hindus are now much less hostile to such liberal legislation than they were a generation ago. A wider study of ancient Hindu literature has revealed to many that the most sacred books not only do not *enjoin* early marriages but positively sanction late marriages. Many Hindus now could quote the Rig Veda laying down that the bride and the bridegroom "should have completed their education and should be in the full bloom of youth having till then observed perfect *brahmacharya*", or Manu, the great Hindu law-giver, enjoining that "the maid should wait for three years after she comes of age and then should choose for herself a husband who is her equal". There are many others even among the orthodox who see with their eyes the evils of early marriage but who would not lay themselves open to opprobrium by deliberately going against custom. Such persons would gladly welcome a law which gives them what they want and on which they could put all the blame for a breach of custom. We think, in short, that the time is ripe for a bold measure of reform. We would, therefore, suggest the withdrawal of the exception or, better still, the raising of the minimum age limit by one year both for the general law and the exception. The advantage of the latter method is that the increase, however slight, in the number of post-puberty marriages amongst those who acquiesce in the general law and the decrease, if any, in the recorded number of exceptions, will facilitate further reform either by custom or law. So grievously has the Hindu community suffered and is still suffering from the baneful effects of child marriages, sapping its vitality and retarding its progress in every direction that it is no wonder that the community is getting somewhat impatient of the slow pace of reform without legislative aid. A grave duty, therefore, rests on the enlightened section of the community to strike the iron while it is hot. Instead of remaining passive supporters of the Bill they should convene meetings in every nook and corner of the country and rain upon the Legislative Assembly showers of resolutions supporting the principle of the Bill and demanding even a more liberal measure of reform than the Bill itself. Finally, though the evil of child marriage is prevalent chiefly among Hindus, the Muslim community is not altogether free from it. The Bill must, therefore, be made applicable to all communities.

Notes of the Day.

Bombay Council Contretemps.

We do not know whether we should laugh or weep over the contretemps which has over-taken the Bombay Legislative Council. A big pillow-fight fatal neither to Government nor the Swarajists is now on. Using the non-Brahmin bloc as their cat's paw, the Government have taken to the habit of refusing leave for the introduction of private bills distasteful to them. Stung by the sense of ill-treament and impotence, the Swarajists strove to pay measure for measure when Mr. Bole wanted an amendment to the Bombay Municipal Act involving special representation for backward classes. Mr. Jayakar, deprecating no doubt the precedent of refusal in respect of Mr. Addyman's Rent Act Bill last year, insisted that the Government should be sporting enough to allow leave for the introduction of Swarajist Bills. The Government would not agree to the proposition, and the Swarajists have not succeeded in winning over many members of the official retinue in favour of elementary fair-play. Yesterday, the Swarajists, instead of walking out of the Council like Labour members from Parliament four months ago, decided not to move propositions or to put questions. Meanness was met with indignation. It was a huge demonstration of the farcical character of the Council. The non-Brahmin element unfortunately functions as the tail of Government and it is hardly enough to smash a tail which can be drawn under. Patriotic non-Brahmins will be distressed over the use made of their representatives. In so far as they are exposing subserviency, Swarajists in retaliation may be said to do well. The real expedient is to prepare for the next election, enduring the while all the silly strictures about sulking which will be gramaphoned by obsequious critics

Fresh Air.

The divorce of his wife, Latife Hanoum, by Kemal Pasha will cause a mild stir of surprise in the Muslim world. The marriage between these two representatives of modern Turkish manhood and womanhood was a romantic one and their separation will cause widespread regret. Why they have taken this step is not known, but if the rumour to which Reuter has given currency is true, the reason assigned for the separation is quite characteristic of the new spirit of independence which animates Turkish womanhood. Latife Hanoum, before her marriage, took a leading part in the movement for the emancipation of Turkish women and it was only natural that she should demand to be more than what a wife in Turkey and elsewhere is ordinarily supposed to be. In the absence of exact details about "her tendency of masterfulness and desire to participate in matters outside her sphere" to which Reuter's correspondent refers, it is difficult to say whether Latife Hanoum's demands to play her part in the public life of her country were excessive or not. However that may be, the incident is symptomatic of the awakening among Muslim women. It is gratifying to note that the Muslim women of India are not altogether untouched by the new spirit. The resolutions passed by the Bombay Presidency Muslim Ladies' Conference are, for instance, an eloquent testimony to this welcome change. These resolutions supported monogamy, demanded votes for the Legislative Council elections and deplored the practical abandonment by certain sections of Muslims in this Presidency of the equitable laws of inheritance by women. The demands embodied in these resolutions will be as welcome as a breath of fresh air to all lovers of true freedom and national progress which, they realise, will be impossible of attainment until women come to their own.

A Case for Enquiry.

Important Government contracts should be and have been, as a rule, made in public. But this elementary principle seems to have been flouted by the Collector of Thana in respect of the Toll Contract of the Mahim-Wada Road in Mahim Taluka in Thana District. The Collector announced by a public notification dated 14th February, 1924, that the Toll Contracts for the Provincial Roads for the year ending March 1925 would be auctioned on the 8th March 1924, yet the two important tolls viz., Palghar Chahadkhind and Savarkhind on the Mahim Vada Road, were disposed of by private arrangement by the Collector. These two tolls had been auctioned the year before for Rs. 22,100. In that year, i.e., 1923-24, the public had to pay only once in twenty-four hours irrespective of the trips they might make during that period. In 1924-25, however, the toll was to be charged for each return trip. It was, therefore, expected that in 1924-25 a public auction of the two tolls would realise at least Rs. 25,000, and there was actually a bidder for Rs. 25,000. But the Collector privately gave away the two tolls to one Mr. M. M. Rais of Manore for only Rs. 7,500 A contractor named Mr. Govindrao Kadam who was prepared to offer Rs. 25,000 referred the matter to the Commissioner N. D., who declined to interfere with the Collector's order. Mr. Kadam then petitioned to His Excellency the Governor to interfere, but obtained the reply that the private contract was only for one year and that his offer of Rs. 25,000 would be considered for the year 1925-26. The toll contract for the same *nakas* for 1925-26 was announced to be auctioned publicly, on the 7th March 1925. Yet, again, the Collector has given away the contract to the same Mr. M. M. Rais by private arrangement for only Rs. 10,000, without assigning any reasons for the preference. No wonder that the public have begun to whisper and ask questions. Mr. Kadam has again petitioned to the Governor to investigate into the matter. In view of the circumstances of the case and in the interests of purity of administration, His Excellency will, we trust, immediately inquire into the matter and publish an explanation.

WIFE'S MASTERFULNESS.

KEMAL'S DIVORCE

LATIFE HANOUM JOINS HER PARENTS.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Aug. 13.

Constantinople.—An official statement says that the President having decided to separate from his wife has issued a decree of divorce as from August 5th. Reasons are not given but a rumour has been busy for some time and the step is attributed in some quarters to the tendency of masterfulness and desire to participate in matters outside her sphere on the part of the young wife who was educated in England and France and was leader of Turkish women's emancipation prior to her marriage. A serious split was evident a fortnight ago when the wife hurriedly left Angora to rejoin her parents. All Commissars then saw her off, the President being the only absentee.—Reuter.

BANK AMALGAMATION.

SEQUEL TO PASSAGE OF COLONIAL BANK BILL.

LONDON, August 13.

It is authoritatively stated to-day that with the passage of the Colonial Bank Bill the Colonial Bank will be re-incorporated. The Bill replaces Royal Charters and Acts of Parliament under which the Bank has hitherto operated. The new constitution better adapted to modern resuirements, will be conferred on the bank by the new Act and simultaneously power to issue Notes will be continued. The Colonial Bank will change its name to Barclay's Bank (Dominion, Colonial and Overseas) and forthwith proceed to carry out arrangements for the acquisition of the Anglo-Egyptian Bank and the National Bank of South Africa. Immediately special resolutions bearing on these transactions will be passed by shareholders of those banks and certain legal formalities will be carried out thus effecting the extensive consolidation of banking interests in greater part of Africa. Barclay's Bank and Barclay's Bank (Dominion Colonial and Overseas) will work in close cooperation. Mr. Frederick Goodenough will be Chairman of the reincorporated bank and Deputy Chairman and Vice-Chairman will be respectively Sir Herbert Hambling and Mr. Edmund Henry Farker. The existing Boards of the Colonial Bank, the Anglo-Egyptian Bank and the National Bank of South Africa will act as local boards for each institution. Certain members of each board will join the central board. Barclay's bank will hold controlling interest in the reincorporated bank which under the new constitution will have an authorised capital of ten million sterling of which 69,75,500 will be issued and subscribed.—Reuter.

PATIALA MAHARAJA'S ENTERTAINMENTS.

LONDON, August 13.

The Maharajah of Patiala is very busy with a continuous succession of interviews with Indians and also with his European friends. He had a long conference with Lord Birkenhead yesterday. Subsequently he entertained the Secretary of State at an informal dinner. He also entertained at luncheon Lord and Lady Willingdon and the Countess of Minto.—Reuter.

FRANCO-SPANISH OPERATIONS AGAINST RIFFS.

LONDON, August 13.

Madrid.—A communique from Morocco says:—Combined Franco-Spanish operations in the Loukkos sector have been continued by investment of Sarsar and Massif by the Spaniards who have carried an encirclement between Peshas and Wedsedra.—Reuter.

FATE OF AVIATORS.

BAGHDAD, August 13.

While two aeroplanes were bringing airmail from Basrah to Baghdad on Wednesday they ran into the very dense sandstorm near Ur of the Chaldees, and were forced to land. One machine landed successfully but for twelve hours nothing was heard of the other. By Wednesday evening a party of Arabs brought to the railway the mechanic of the missing machine. They had found him wandering in a semi-conscious condition at a considerable distance from the machine which they had been unable to locate. The injuries sustained by the machanic are not serious. This morning the missing machine was found two miles from Ur lying on its back completely wrecked. Pilot-Officer J. J. Fitzgerald, the pilot, was discovered dead among the wreckage.—Reuter.

LONDON NEGOTIATIONS

GERMANY DISAPPOINTED

SHOCKED AT LEAGUE ENTRY PROPOSAL.

LONDON, August 13.

Berlin.—Political circles here are disappointed with the London negotiations, which, in their opinion, have not helped to arrive at a conclusion on the Security Pact such as Germany desires. The report that M. Briand and Mr. Austen Chamberlain have agreed that Germany must enter the League of Nations unconditionally has caused a shock; so has the assertion that France may be permitted to war against Germany on uncertain eventualities while the news that Poland and Czecho-Slovakia are likely to be invited to an eventual pact conference is received with suspicion.—Reuter.

BOULOGNE EXPRESS DERAILMENT.

11 KILLED, 50 INJURED.

LONDON, August 13.

Paris.—The Boulogne express while running at fullspeed derailed to-day at Amiens. 2 persons were killed and 50 were injured.—Reuter.

HEART-RENDING SCENES.

LONDON, August 13.

Paris.—Hitherto it is known that 12 persons were killed and 80 injured as the result of the rail smash at Amiens. The engine driver has been arrested. The train was unusually full with holiday-makers, mostly of third class, going to the seaside. The train was due to stop at Amiens but it entered the station at fullspeed. The engine jumped over points and dragged off the luggage-van and seven third-class coaches which telescoped and broke into pieces. M. Briand who was returning from London was held up in consequence of the accident causing rumours in Paris that it was his train that derailed actually. M. Briand's train arrived a few minutes' after the disaster and it was delayed outside Amiens while the casualties were removed from the wreckage and subsequenly hauled up slowly to another track. The Amiens station is showing a horrified passengers appearance. It has been one of the worst accidents that France has had for a long time.—Reuter.

LATER.

Amiens.—The latest details of the rail smash show that nine were killed and 160 injured of whom 71 are serious and three are not expected to survive.

It appears that the driver of the wrecked train entered the station at 56 miles speed per hour instead of the usual speed of 26 miles after which he applied brakes too suddenly. Heartrending cries emerged from smashed timber and tangled iron work from which mangled corpses were extricated. The horror of the scene was increased by three coaches taking fire which was extinguished, thanks to the splendid work of the fire brigade.—Relter.

DRIVER'S RELEASE ORDERED.

AMIENS, Aug. 14.

The death roll in the railway disaster now amounts to eleven. The condition of five of the injured is very serious; others are considered out of danger. Most distressing scenes were witnessed Mutilated bodies have been removed to the hospital or mortuary. Gangs of men are busily clearing the track, and it is hoped that normal traffic will be restored before noon, today. M. Laval, Minister of Public Works declares that it is at present impossible to make a precise statement regarding the responsibility for the accident. He points out that the casualty list contains names of all who were only slightly wounded, many of whom have left for Paris after dressing their wounds. The Minister says that he has ordered release of the engine driver after examination by the doctor who has reserved his opinion regarding the mental condition of the driver, who has a good record. He was found wandering on the track stupefied, and had apparently lost his reason.—Reuter.

SHANGHAI STRIKERS FIRED AT.

ONE MAN SHOT.

SHANGHAI, Aug. 13.

Demonstrating against the non-receipt of the strike pay, a band of striking coolies rioted and looted food shops. The police fired, shooting one man. All wharf coolies have struck, including those working in the Chinese vessels.—Reuter.

DISASTROUS FLOODS IN KOREA.

RESULT IN 21 DEATHS.

LONDON, August 13.

Tokio.—Disastrous floods in western Korea have disorganised railways, demolished bridges and caused 21 deaths.—Reuter.

SWARAJISTS NON-CO-OPERATE IN COUNCIL.

NON--BRAHMINS DISILLUSIONED.

SIND MUSLIMS VOTE WITH GOVERNMENT.

DULL DAY AT POONA.

(From our Special Representative.)

POONA, Aug. 14.

The Council proceedings to-day were quite tame and there was no animation at all. The cause was obvious. The Swaraj Party has decided to take no part in the Council proceedings and leave the whole game to Government and their followers from Sind and the non-Brahmins. If the Swaraj Party is blotted out of the Bombay Council very little brain or debating power is left behind, not to speak of the sturdy independence which matters more than anything else. What happened to-day was that the Swaraj Party owing to the happenings of the previous night non-co-operated with the Council as a whole. At question time, one after another Swarajists rose in their seats and refused to ask the questions which were in the printed list. It was first hoped that this non-co-operation would be confined to questions only, but it was soon apparent that the Swaraj Party as a whole and their sympathisers refused to have anything to do with the Council proceedings.

A DULL DAY.

While the Swarajists were present in the house, they moved no resolutions and took no part in the debate, with the result that it was an altogether dull and lifeless day. That being the case, all the oratorical efforts were confined to Sind members and the young Khuhro being their leader, the main burden fell on him. He, however, had to depend more on his memory. Very many important resolutions stood in the names of members of the Swaraj Party and if they had moved them the debate would have been long and exhillerating, but it happened otherwise. As stated the honours of the debate were with Sind members. Most of their resolutions were withdrawn. After a dull debate one was amended and then adopted. Moulvi Rafiuddin made a big speech on a very small subject, and he was all animation on his pet subject of Urdu and Arabic. lectureships. He was rather too hard on the Minister, but the latter's sympathy almost melted him and he was going to withdraw his resolution but one member refused that permission and the President felt bound to put it to vote, when it was declared carried by a majority, Mr. Jadhav not asking for division.

NON-BRAHMINS' DISILLUSION.

The next resolution was moved by Mr. Nekaljay, the nominated member of the depressed classes, who had made common cause with Government all these days. Now, however, an opportunity was offered to him of testing the strength of his party as against Government. He made a long tedious speech, but he was opposed by Government on the financial ground, while a great deal of lip sympathy was retailed by them, as usual. When the question was put to vote, it was declared lost and Mr. Nekaljay asked for a division, secure in his strength. But the result must have opened his eyes to stern realities for the Swaraj Party took no part other in the debate or in voting. The total strength of the non-Brahmin party, which is said to be the great party holding the balance in the Council, was found to be only 15 even with the addition of outsiders. Here again the Sind Moslems ran to the aid of Government to defeat the non-Brahmins. This merely shows that temporary alliances cannot last and in politics there cannot be permanent friendships or enmities. The Great fabric built by the non-Brahmins thus disappeared in a moment, but this is only the beginning of the end, as more resolutions will have to be moved to-morrow both by Sind Muslims and non-Brahmins and unless they make it a point of gracefully withdrawning them the result is as sure as anything. It will not be possible for any weaklings form to-day to make use of the Swarajists for pulling their chestnuts out of fire.

To-day, there was a meeting of the Swarai Party at Mr. Javakars' place, when an official statement of the Party was issued to the Press.

VOTE ON MERIT.

NON-BRAHMINS' ATTITUDE EXPLAINED.

(From our Special Representative.)

POONA, Aug. 14.

In connection with the incidents on Thursday and the attitude of the non-Brahmin party, I interviewed Mr. S. T. Kambli, a leader of the party who made the following statement:—

The first Bill that came for debate was Mr. Patil's Bill to amend the Watan Act and was supported by us as it aimed at removing the Legitimate grievances of representative watandars. Next item was Mr. Joshi's motion to introduce his Bill amending the local Boards Act and he intended to give the right to vote to persons who did not contribute anything to the local boards by way of taxation. Similar Bill was brought by him last year and was thrown out. It might be noted that at the time of the first reading of the Bill which became the Local Boards Act 1923 this very question as to whether certain educational qualifications etc., should give a vote or not was discussed threadbare and it was then decided that one uniform test should be applied and that the right to vote should depend only on payment of taxes. Even under the Major Municipalities Bill now before the Select Committee one single qualification is retained for voters which is payment of taxes to municipalities. Therefore, we voted against this motion on the very sound and reasonable grounds that it would be unwise to give votes to persons not contributing anything to the revenues of the local boards. The principle underlying the Bill has been rejected even by the Bombay Municipal Corporation. Mr. Joshi withdrew his second Bill and Mr. Bhopatkar moved for leave to introduce his Bill to amend the Land Revenue Code and we supported him, leave being granted. Mr. Bole then askod for leave for his amending Bill to the City of Bombay Municipal Act and we supported him as he wants seats to be reserved for backward and depressed classes which, in our opinion, is absolutely necessary. We voted against Mr. Velkar's motion as we thought it was not necessary to control business premises in Bombay as the Council had passed this very session the Act controlling residential premises of particular rentals. It will thus be seen that our party's vote was always guided by the merits of each particular question before the Council and no other considerations than those based on merits of each particular item weighed with our party.

NO MORE SUBMISSION TO HUMILIATION.

SWARAJISTS M. L. C.S' MANIFESTO.

POONA, Aug. 14.

The Swarajist members of the Bombay Legislative Council have issued the following statement:—

"We have patiently waited all these months to see whether in spite of being a minority our party and its associates could be of adequate service to the public whom they represent in the Bombay Council. As the public are aware, having regard to our numerical weakness we decided at an early stage of our existence to carry on our work consistently with the principles of our party in harmony with other parties. We have likewise given every support to non-Brahmins and Sindh Muslims whenever their motions were in danger of being defeated by Government. In this desire of ours we have even gone to great lengths, but the result of this public-spirited action on our part has been that we have come to be regarded by these two parties in the house as powerful levers for obtaining from Government pressed by our opposition one concession after another, either communal or personal. In this behalf their appetite has grown by what it fed on. Government have gone on distributing their patronage among persons representing these parties in a manner which has had the effect, as experience has proved of winning them over to the side of Government in their fight against Swarajists. The experience of the last few days in particular fully corroborates this. We have been forced to take the view that the main effect of our place in this house has been to drive Government into the arms of extravagance and communal selfishness.

PARTY'S SERVICE TO COUNCIL.

"Many of us who are here at great sacrifice of time, money and convenience do not like to be converted even in the name of public duty into unwilling instruments of communal or personal aggrandisement. We further realise that by energetic and independent activities in this house we have in a great measure contributed to give to this house in spite of its great and deceptive character in many particulars the prestige, reputation and popularity and parliamentary semblance which it enjoys at present. Government have had the benefit of all this, but notwithstanding the same they do not appear to be willing to accord to our party the position of respect and dignity which it deserves by reason of its work and importance in this Council and outside. Their one effort has been of late to try by all means, fair or foul, to defeat the Swarajists with the aid of these two parties. If we had the power and patronage in our hands as Government have of rewarding our friends and punishing our opponents this contest would have been carried on on even terms.

THE LAST STRAW.

"But, constituted as we are, we are powerless to meet the tactics of Govern-

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MORE DEFEATS.

SWARAJISTS IN BENGAL COUNCIL

SUPPLEMENTARY DEMAND GRANTED.

CALCUTTA, Aug. 14.

At to-day's meeting of the Bengal Legislative Council, the Dacca University Amendment Bill was passed after two days discussion. Both the amendments moved by Swarajists one urging the circulation of the Bill and the other that it be referred to a Select Committee were defeated. The Bill aimed at making statutory the provision of five lakhs which the Council had been granting for the last five years.

Another item on which there was a lively discussion was a supplementary demand made by Sir Hugh Stephenson of Rs. 14,000 for expenditure under the head of the band establishment of the Governor. Sir Hugh explained that at the last year's budget the original demand for this purpose of Rs. 80,000 was reduced to Rs. 34,250. It was impossible to maintain a good orchestra with that amount. Several amendments refusing the demand were negatived and the demand granted, after which the Council adjourned.—A. P.

GOVT. AFRAID OF SWARAJISTS.

MR. GOSWAMI ON SWARAJ PARTY.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MADRAS, Aug. 14.

T. C. Goswami M. L. A. arrived here this morning by the Ceylon boat mail after making a short tour in Ceylon. On the political situation he preferred to reserve his remarks till he had an opportunity of taking up the threads of Indian politics after an absence from India for four months during which so great a calamity as the death of his chief and master Deshbandhu had taken place. He has formed some very definite ideas regarding the attitude of the various political parties in England towards India. He has also been able to form an idea of the vast and subtle forces which British Imperialism employs. But he prefers to postpone a statement on that subject also for a few days.

BENGAL COUNCIL PRESIDENTSHIP.

On hearing the result of the contest for the election of the presidentship of the Bengal Council he said he was not disappointed. The Swarajists made it clear by their offer to Mr. Chakravarty, that they did not object to an Independent president But they felt, as Mr. Goswami strongly feels also, that it should have been a Mohamedan's turn and from that point of view he would have preferred a Muhammadan President. On the other hand Kumar Sivasekharashwar is a man of experience and may be expected to rise to the occasion. But the most significant feature of the election was that the Government made it clear by casting their votes on the side of the Independent candidate that they prefer anybody to a Swarajist. This indirect and therefore sure acknowledgment of the fact that it is the Swarajists alone that the Government fear and detest gave comfort to Mr. Goswami. It ought to hearten all diffident followers of Swarajism. Far from being shaken in his faith in the policy and programme of the Swarajya Party Mr. Goswami's visit to Europe which afforded him ample and unusual opportunities of studying the trend of affairs there has convinced him that there is no other programme for the country in the near future. He would even advocate undiluted Swarajism and the removal of such concessions as the Swarajists have in the past rightly made in deference to other parties. He would also like the inclusion of a definite labour programme among the official Swarajist activities.

INDIAN SANDHURST COMMITTEE.

TWO MORE MEMBERS TO BE ADDED.

SIMLA, August 13.

The Indian Sandhurst Committee assembled yesterday when all the members except Pandit Motilal Nehru and Mr. Jinnah attended. The Committee conveyed its condolence to Captain Bannerjea on the death of his brother Sir Surendranath Bannerjea. Touching references to the work of Sir Surendranath were briefly made. Government has decided to strengthen the Committee by addition of two members, one from Maharashtra and another from South India. The names of the two new members are not yet known.—A. P.

QUESTIONS IN COUNCIL OF STATE.

MADRAS, Aug. 14.

The Hon. V. Ramados Pantalu has forwarded a list of interpellations in connection with the forthcoming session of the Council of State. Among other matters he will interpellate Government with regard to the alleged denial of free access to certain communities belonging to the depressed classes to post and telegraph offices in certain rural areas of Madras Presidency and will ask Government to state whether they propose to take any steps to remove this hardship.

REIGN OF TERROR IN BURMA.

ELEVEN ASSOCIATIONS DECLARED

"DANGER TO PUBLIC PEACE."

RANGOON, Aug. 14.

Eleven associations in Upper Chindwin district have been declared unlawful as the Governor-in-Council is of opinion that they interfere or have for their objects interference with the administration of law or with the maintenance of law and or constitute danger to public peace.—A. P.

ROWDY MEETINGS.

HOOLIGANISM RAMPANT AT MADRAS.

MADRAS, August 14.

Occasional stone-throwing and rowdyism which were in evidence as some of the municipal election meetings culminated last night in a serious disturbance at Tondiarpet, northern end of George Town, as the result of which about thirty persons are reported to have been injured, some of them seriously, among the injured being Mr. Adikesavum Naicker, Congress candidate for that division. It would appear that a large procession organised by the Congress party was marching through one of the streets when a large number of hooligans armed with lathis, crowbars and "soda water" bottles attacked the processionists. They first hit the Washington gas lights destroying all of them. Several voters who were in the crowd are reported to have been hit, besides some of the Congress volunteers. The Commissioner of Police with the Dy. Commissioner and the reserve police soon arrived on the scene. Seven arrests have so far been made. Some of those seriously injured were removed to hospital. Police enquiries are proceeding.—A. P.

HOW TO DEVELOP VERNACULARS.

COMMITTEE APPOINTED IN BEHAR.

RANCHI, August 13.

The Government of Bihar and Orissa have appointed a committee with Sir Ali Imam as President to consider what measures should be adopted for the development of the principal vernacular language ment of the principal vernacular languages (Hindi, Urdu and Oriya) and the literature of the province.—A. P.

CASE OF COLD-BLOODED MURDER.

AMRITSAR, August 14.

A sensation has been caused here by the discovery of a mutilated human body in bazaar Morigunj, packed in a gunny bag. The head, arms and legs had been removed. The police reached the spot this morning and have commenced an inquiry but so far no trace of the culprit or culprits has been found. The case is apparently one of cold-blooded murder.—A. P.

THE GANGES RISING.

ALLAHABAD, Aug. 14.

A telegraphic warning has been received from Canal headworks at Aligarh that the Ganges at Allahabad is likely to be in very high flood about the evening of the 16th instant. Enquiries show that the river is rising slowly and Mr. Crosthwaite, District Magistrate, is reported to be taking necessary precautions.

INDIAN NEWS IN BRIEF.

Rawalpindi, Aug.—13.—The line between Kalabagh and Kumar Mashui breached at mile 5/4. Five cribs of the bridge were washed away at 6/15 hours to-day due to heavy rain.—Transhipment is necessary.—A. P.

Ahmedabad, August 13.—The President and the two secretaries of the Primary Teachers Association of Kaira district have been suspended by order of the Director of Public Instruction for issuing a recent appeal to the members of the Legislative Council in connection with the revision of pay of the primary teachers.—A.P.

The District Traffic Superintendent, Lalmanirhat, (East Bengal Railway), wires from Dinhata under date August 14th:—The line between Dinhata and Dewanhat stations has been rendered unsafe for passage of trains due to heavy flood. Through communication is interrupted. Transhipment of passengers by trollies has been arranged. Through communication will be restored when flood subsides.—A. P.

The Chota Nagpur Rural Police (Amendment) Bill 1925 which will be introduced in the Bihar and Orissa Legislative Council as an official measure proposes to revise the system of assessment in what have now become congested industrial areas by imposing on the colliery proprietors' liability to be assessed in respect of houses maintained by them for occupation of their employees and to replace the old village (Chaukidars in those areas by police patrols.—A. P.

Principal M. M. Gidvani writes to say that he will be glad to know of old Elphinstonians or others interested in dramating acting and willing to act in dramas of Indian setting. They are requested to communicate with Mr Gidvani at the Great Punjab Hotels, Dhobi Talao.

STRIKE, A CALAMITY.

GOVERNOR'S SYMPATHY WITH MILL-WORKERS

REPLY TO DEPUTATION'S ADDRESS.

His Excellency the Governor replying to the deputation from the All-India Trade Union Congress and the several Textile and Labour Organisations in Bombay which waited upon him on August 12, said:

I am very glad to see you here to-day, and to discuss with you the difficulties of the present position in the mill industry in Bombay. I have, I need hardly say, invited my honourable colleague, the Honourable Mr. Cowasji Jehangir, who is the Member in charge of Industrial Disputes and Relation of Capital and Labour, to be present with me on this occasion.

I feel sure you will realise, as I have said on more than one occasion, that the interference by Government in any industrial dispute is most undesirable, although it is of course the duty of Government at all times to protect the public, by preserving law and order, and to maintain essential services; and Government is always willing, at the request of both parties to a dispute, to render any service that lies in its power to endeavour to bring about an amicable agreement, and to prevent, if possible, any cessation of work, which must inevitably cause great suffering and hardship, and which, at the same time, must be most harmful to the prosperity of the Presidency.

GOVT. AND INDUSTRIAL DISPUTES.

You will remember that, shortly after I arrived here, I felt it was most desirable that Government should be armed with some powers, not only to have a statutory right to deal with any industrial disputes, but to take every action possible to prevent such disputes; and Government prepared a Bill, which it was intended to introduce into the Legislative Council a year ago. The Government of India, however, decided that this question was an All-India question, and that any such legislation should emanate from the Central Legislature. am therefore hopeful that, before long, the Government of India Bill dealing with this most important question will be introduced and passed into law, and I trust that the terms of such a Bill will enable Government to materially assist towards the prevention of any dispute which may arise.

I understand that you fully recognise the serious position of the mill industry at the present time and that without some action on the part of millowners, it is urged that it is absolutely essential for several mills to close down entirely, and thus throw a large number of mill hands out of employment. Your contention, however, is, so I understand, that instead of a cut in wages, the mill should work short time. Government is naturally anxious to see that wages should not be reduced, and I have given a great deal of attention to the arguments which you have put forward for short time in lieu of a cut. I am informed, however, in the first place, that the mill-hands would be worse off if the mills worked one day a week less, as this would mean a reduction in the monthly wage of the mill hands of 16 and 2/3rds per cent. compared with a cut in wages of 11½ per cent. as proposed by the millowners. In the second place, it has been pointed out to me that the mills produce a variety of cloths, some of which are in constant demand, and others for which there is at present no demand, but of which the mills hold large stocks. As you are aware the technical organisation of the mills is such that the looms are arranged in banks, or series, each of which is producing a different kind of cloth. Short time would mean the closing down for one day in each week of all these banks of looms. The result would be that the production of a particular variety of cloth which was in great demand, and for which the mills have forward contracts, would be stopped. It has also been pointed out to me that short time means an increase in the cost of production, because establishment and over-head charges remain practically the same whether the mill is working or not, and it was stated by the Chairman of the Millowners' Association that such extra cost amounts to 5/8ths of an anna per pound per cloth.

I gather that your anxiety on behalf of the mill hands is that, if a wage cut is made, it will be difficult to restore wages to their former level. I can only remind you of the definite promise made by the Millowners' Association that, when the position of the industry improves, they will seriously consider the reinstatement of the present cut, and this promise has been more emphatically repeated to me personally by the Chairman of the Association.

VICEROY AND OWNERS' DEPUTATION.

The principal causes for this unfortunate position in the industry are well-known to you, and have been debated in the Legislative Council. The remedies suggested during that debate are outside the scope of the Government of Bombay; but, in accordance with the wishes of the Legislative Council, which were unanimously expressed, the Government of Bombay have addressed the Government of India on this subject, and I have personally taken the opportunity of speaking to His Excellency the Viceroy, on his arrival, pointing out to him the grave difficulties in which the industry in Bombay finds itself at the present moment, and, more particularly, the difficulties which the industry you are speaking for is facing. I understand that a Deputation of the Millowners is proceeding to Simla in order to lay these difficulties before the Government of India, and will be received by His Excellency the Viceroy on the 21st instant. If any representative of Labour approached the Millowners' Association with the idea of joining the Deputaion, in order to point out the serious position of the mill-hands, I feel sure that such a suggestion would be carefully considered by the Millowners' Deputation.

I am, however, strongly of opinion that the difficulties which industries have so often to face in these days cannot always be met merely by employers making a cut in wages, and it is seldom, if ever, that such action can re-establish prosperity in the industry concerned. I have hardly had time to read the statement of your case before this meeting, as I only received it just before coming here and it is for this reason that I really am not able to give you as full a reply to the many points which you raise as I should have desired. I, however, fully agree with you that efficient and economic management is one of the main factors which enables one section of an industry to compete with another; and I note that with regard to Japanese competition, you claim that the efficient and economic management of the Japanese cotton industry is largely responsible for the large output with less cost of production. I have, naturally, not had time to consider that point, which you have just put, but of course, this is a point certainly more for the consideration of the millowners than for Government.

I also agree with you that the cut of 11½ per cent. in wages, while not, on paper, a very large cut, is a very serious one to the mill hands, and it is for that reason that I have endeavoured to trace the arguments, as put forward to me, in favour of a cut in preference to short time.

INQUIRY COMMITTEE.

Owing to the shortness of the time which has elapsed between the receipt of your proposals and this meeting, I have had no opportunity to consult my colleagues regarding the suggestions which you put forward, and it is impossible for me to give you a definite reply with regard to your proposal to ask the millowners to appoint a small committee of experts to investigate the present position of the mill industry. It appears to me, however, that the initiation in the appointment of such a Committee should rest, not with Government, but with the Millowners' Association, and I would suggest that this proposal should be put forward by this Deputation to the Association; and if, in this direction, the assistance of Government is required, any application will receive the most sympathetic consideration of Government.

I am sure that you fully realise that neither I nor the Government of Bombay have any statutory right to interfere, and any proposal made by Government can be nothing more than a suggestion to the millowners in order that the storm which you think might break should not do so. Personally, I sincerely hope that, in any case, no such storm will break. At the time of the last unfortunate strike, which occurred shortly after I arrived in India, I had, on more than one occasion, to remark on the excellent behaviour of the mill hands during that unfortunate episode. I am confident that they will very carefully consider the present position from every point of view, and I echo your words when you say that any strike would be a calamity.

I give you my full assurance that the suggestions which you have made in your speech, and the suggestions and proposals made during the discussion which we have had—some of which may, in my opinion, prove very useful will receive most careful consideration, and it is my intention to address the Millowners' Association with regard to some of the proposals. More than this I cannot say to-day, nor would you expect me to say more.

I can assure you that Government is most anxious to avoid any cessation of work in the mill industry, and I would strongly urge you to consider the remarks which I have made, and, in view of the grave position of the industry, and of the grave results—not only to the mill hands, but to the women and the children—of any cessation of work, not to come to any decision which might mean even a temporary cessation of work in the mills, for such an act cannot possibly improve your position, and would only inevitabl make matters worse than they are.

MILLOWNERS' DEPUTATION

TO WAIT ON GOVERNOR TO-DAY.

We understand that a deputation of the millowners consisting of Mr. N. N. Wadia, Mr. H. P. Mody, Mr. F. Stanes Sir Fazalbhoy Currimbhoy and Mr. Laljee Naranjee will wait upon H. E. the Governor to-day at Poona. Besides H. E. the Governor, there will also be present Hon. Mr. Cowasji Jehangir, the General Member and a secretary to the Government. The discussion will be informal and private.

MOON MILL STRIKERS PAID OFF.

The management of the Moon Mill paid off 250 weavers on Friday who had struck work, for the month of July. For the month of August they would be paid off to-day. The management propose to take fresh weavers on Monday giving the option to the discharged men to come as new operatives.

THE NEW DANGER.

DUTY OF ASSEMBLY

CONTEMPT OF COURT BILL

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

AMRAOTI, Aug. 13.

The Hon. Mr. G. S. Khaparde interviewed at Amraoti about the Contempt of Court Bill which the Government will introduce in the next Assembly session said that this was the new danger to the liberty of the Press in India, now that the old one of the Press Act had to be removed. He congratulated the Journalists' Association of India on being the first to focus attention on the subject, and he hoped the "Bombay Chronicle" will awaken public feeling so as to get it mobilized against the new invasion on the liberties of the Press by which, he said, he meant the Nationalist Press. He hoped even leave to introduce ought to be refused to this Bill. He for one could oppose it strenuously. He had certain suggestion to make against the danger of rabid attacks in the press, but the bill was no remedy for them. He said he would put his opposition to the bill in a single sentence, and made the following statement:—

The press must have the power to point out the mistakes of the highest officers, executive or judicial, and it should not be within the jurisdiction of either to punish the journalists without a further fresh trial.

SWARAJISTS NON-COOPERATE IN COUNCIL.

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ment in this connection. The result is we have been compelled to resolve that we should take no part in the deliberations of this house so that with the withdrawal of our share therein the other sections of this hous, which have so far remained comparatively inactive making use of our opposition to obtain personal or communal advantage, will be thrown on their own resources and will come to occupy their merited position in this house commensurate with their real strength, intelligence and importance in the country and apart from the artificial significance which our opposition gives to their votes Government have failed in increasing proportion to appreciate or respect the forgoing feature of our activity in this house. Their desire has grown to inflict defeat and humiliation on us with the aid of our own countrymen in this house. But, Government appear to forget that it is in our hands not to submit to such treatment. We waited for several days for a suitable opportunity to make our position clear in this behalf, an opportunity which would be sufficiently important in the public estimation and sufficiently indicative of the unworthy intentions of Government. Such an occasion arose yesterday. The circumstances relating to the same have been stated in detail in the interview given by our leader and two members of our party to the "Bombay Chronicle" of yesterday's issue, but that was only the last straw. The incident was important as clearly indicating the trend of affairs as they have happened for many days.

NO PARTICIPATION IN PROCEEDINGS.

"We will, therefore, from to-day withdraw from taking any further part in the working of this Council so that it may begin to function in its normal way without being affected by the adventitious elements which our opposition in this house appears to provoke. We are aware that this step involves the immediate sacrifice of minor advantages to the public. But, this is inevitable. We are awaiting further developments and we venture to assure our constituents that all steps will be taken which are demanded by their self-respect and dignity of which we regard ourselves the custodians."

The above statement has been signed by Messrs. M. R. Jayakar, D. B. Adwani, J. C. Swaminarayan, D. P. Desai, W. S. Mukadam, G. B. Pradhan, V. R. Kothari, L. B. Bhopatkar, P. G. Joshi, H. D. Saheba, H. B. Shivdasani, S. S. Dev, D. N. Patil, Punjabhai Thakersea, V. A. Surve, M. B. Pawar, K. F. Nariman, H. A Lalji, M. B. Velkar, C. M. Saptarishi, H. H. Narielwala, R. G. Soman, M. K. Dixit, H. M. Mehta, K. B. Karke, V. N. Jog, G. K. Mavlankar, B. R. Navale and N. R. Gunjal.—A. P.

PROCCEDINGS IN DETAIL.

(From our Special Representative.)

POONA, Aug. 14.

A meeting of the Legislative Council was held to-day, Sir Ebrahim Rahimtoolah presiding. At question time the Swarajist members refused to put any questions standing in their names. Resolutions were then taken up and the first resolution stood in Mr. P. G. Joshi's name. It was about increased rates of assessment in Bombay Presidency, but he refused to move it; so did Mr. S. S. Dev.

Sayad Mahomed Shah moved his resolution, "This Council recommends to His Excellency the Government in Council that a mixed Committee of official members of the Council nominated by Government and non-official members elected by the house with a clear non-official majority be appointed to hold an open enquiry and to take evidence with a view to investigate the entire question of the application of the fallow rules in Sind and to make the necessary recommendations about the advisability or otherwise of abrogating or modifying such of the aforesaid rules as are operating harshly on the zamindars of Sind and of restoring to the original holders on the original terms of occupancy all lands that have hitherto been forfeited and are being either withheld or granted under restrictions."

To this an amendment was moved by Mr. G. A. Thomas that a mixed Committee of officials and non-official members of the Council with a majority of the latter be appointed to enquire into the whole question of the fallow rules in Sind and make such recommendations as they might please for the modification, revision or repeal of any such rules which they consider operated unfairly upon zamindars. The Committee should consider whether the zamindars had a lien on forfeited lands and if so on what conditions they should be restored. The mover agreed to the amendment which was passed.

Mr. Mahomed Khuhtro moved that "in view of the ungenerous policy of Government towards the executive branch of the Provincial Civil Service, this Council recommends to Government that a large number of superior appointments should be forthwith thrown open to the members of the executive branch of the Provincial Civil Service in accordance with the undertaking given by Sir William Vincent in reply to a question of Mr. G. C. Nag, M. L. A. on the 15th September 1921 in the Indian Legislatitve Assembly and in accordance with the recommendation of the Lee Commission.

Mr. J. E. Hotson, Chief Secretary, said the Lee Commission had strongly recommended that the proportion of men promoted from the provincial service should be raised from 16 to 20 per cent. The Commission left the method of recruitment to others and in the 15 months that had passed since the publication of its report that particular question had been the subject lately of a correspondence between local Governments, the Government of India and the Secretary of State. It was probable that orders of the Secretary of State would be published within a short time. While it was not for him to forecast those results they might guess that the proportion of the Secretary of State would be about the 20 per cent recommended by the Lee Commission. The desire of the Bombay Government was to be fair and generous towards the hardworking and able members of the various branches of the Provincial Service. He informed the Council that Government had created four judgeships for the Provincial Civil Service. Two of them would be listed immediately and the other two the soonest possible. Government had appointed Provincial Service men to superior posts and very recently no less than three Deputy Collectors were given charge of districts as Collectors and these were in addition to two Collectors now existing. Out of 26 districts one fifth were in the hands of Deputy Collectors.

GENERAL MEMBER'S SURPRISING ATTITUDE.

Mr. Cowasji Jehangir said there was no Indian who did not wish to see Indianisation not only among the subordinate services, but also among the superior officers. He asked the Council to take no step which might hinder the recruitment of superior services. It was the desire of Indians that Indians should be recruited direct to the superior services and the resolution was for recruitment from provincial to superior services. He, therefore, asked how it tallied with their desire for direct recruitment to the superior services. What was the inducement to young Indians to pass their examinations when they could gain the same end by joining the Provincial Services?

Mr. R. D. Shinde said the recent appointment of a non-Brahmin as collector had given considerable satisfaction to them.

Mr. Hidayatulla disagreed with Mr. Cowasji. The resolution did not say that there should be no direct recruitment at all. Those who were generally recruited in the Provincial Services were best the graduates of the University who had appeared for the I. C. S. and when they failed there they applied for such appointments. In fact the qualifications of both were nearly the same.

Mr. Khurtho was surprised at the attitude of the General Member.

Mr. H. J. Lawrence had looked up the records to see whether the policy of Government towards provincial services was ungenerous. Sometimes, Government were accused of being overgenerous with Government money and sometimes of being ungenerous. The present position was, there were six officers serving as collectors or administrators drawing from Rs. 1,500, to Rs. 2,000 per month. Three officers on Rs. 1,200, four officers on Rs. 1,000 and over and the number of officers on Rs. 600 and over was about 50. So that this executive branch, towards which they were accused of being ungenerous, had 63 officers of Rs. 600 and over as against eight before. These figures showed that Government had recognised the value of the services of these officers and had improved their position owing to increased cost of living. The last revision of pay took place in 1919 and he hoped the Council would agree that Government had been just to the services. If the question was one of superior appointments they must remember it was bound up with the whole treatment of listed posts and the problem of Indianisation. There were three posts of district judges held by provincial men and seven posts of assistant judges, there were two posts of collectors and some more were now in contemplation. He submitted, on the whole, that one sixth had been considerably exceeded and rapid progress had been made with Indianisation; not only a large number had been appointed after success in examination in England but a certain number had been appointed by nomination and finally they were holding simultaneous examinations in England and India as desired by the Indian National Congress all these years. In the last quarterly Civil List out of 13 men 12 Indians were appointed to the I. C. S. Concluding, he said at this moment the number was in excess of the number under discussion in 1921, out of 26 districts six were being held by these provincial officers and two more appointments would shortly be made.

The resolution was withdrawn.

Mr. G. B. Pradhan and Mr. Punjabhai Thackersi refused to move their resolutions.

Mr. Rafiuddin Ahmed moved, "this Council recommends to Government that they be pleased to establish a chair for Arabic at the Elphinstone College, Bombay, and appoint lecturers for Urdu in Government Arts Colleges at Poona, and Bombay and one Arabic Teacher in the Government Anglo-Urdu High School at Poona.

After the speech by Mr. Jadhav who asked that the resolution should be withdrawn the mover agreed to do so, but the Council did not permit and when the resolution was put to vote it was declared carried.

Mr. R. S. Nekanjay moved a resolution recommending that a limited number of Watandar Mahars should be kept in each district on Rs. 15 to 20 monthly and that the inam lands held be watandar mahars should be granted free of assessment to the holders for services rendered to Government. This was defeated, only 15 voting for and 33 against.

The Council then adjourned till to-morrow.

AMERICAN COTTON FUTURES.

FRIDAY'S CLOSING RATE

+27

A cable received from New York at 2 a. m. stated:—

Friday's opening rate.	— 8
Friday's closing rate.	+27
Liverpool opening	—15
Liverpool closing	—15

ARABINDO GHOSH.

DECLINES TO ACCEPT PRESIDENTSHIP

REQUEST TO CONGRESS RECEPTION COMMITTEE.

LUCKNOW, Aug. 14.

Srijut Arabindo Ghosh has written to the Secretary of the Cawnpore Congress Reception Committee to request the different Provincial Congress Committees on his behalf to remove his name from the list of persons recommended for presidentship of the ensuing Congress at Cawnpore. Srijut Arabindo regrets it will not be possible for him either to attend the coming session of the Congress or if elected to carry out for the whole year the duties that fall upon the president of the Congress.—A. P.

PRIMARY EDUCATION.

TO BE MADE FREE FROM APRIL 1ST.

At a meeting of the Municipal Schools Committee held on Friday Mr. B. N. Motiwala presiding, consideration was given to a resolution of the Corporation requesting the Committee to submit a definite scheme for imparting practical manual training to municipal school children.

The Secretary was asked to submit a scheme.

The Committee also resolved to give effect to the Corporation resolution that the primary education in all municipal schools should be made free with effect from the 1st April, 1926.

"VAGARIES OF INSURANCE COMPANIES."

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—I see you have published a letter signed by two pleaders from Thana, Rao Bahadur S. K. Bhagwat and Rao Bahadur S. R. Nachane in reply to the contentions made by Mr. Dadyburjor in your issue of 24th June 1925 on behalf of his clients the Empire of India Life Assurance Company. As I was a witness in that case will you allow me to say a few words?

Mr. Dadyburjor in contending that the conduct of his clients was fair has said "the Company did not take any contentious attitude by putting a single question in cross-examination." I wish to say that to use the mildest expression this statement is quite incorrect. He did ask me in cross-examination "How is it that I said that Sakharam Agashe was dead without seeing his dead body?" and I had to reply that I had been to pay a condolence visit soon after the death.

I think the conduct of Mr. Dadyburjor's clients can best be judged from the fact that they paid Mrs. Agashe only Rs. 2000-whereas the money due on the policy was about Rs. 2,020. In order to bring the suit in the Court of Small Causes to save the expenses of the High Court Mrs. Agashe had to lodge a suit only for Rs.2000-and give up the claim for about Rs.20. If the Company were fair and if they wanted merely to satisfy themselves as to who had the legal right to the money they should have given Mrs. Agashe the full sum now that the Court had convinced the Company of Mrs. Agashe's right.—Yours, etc.

VITHAL N. PHADKE.

THE ASSEMBLY.

NON-OFFICIAL BILLS

SWARAJIST MOTIONS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

SIMLA, Aug. 11.

No less than 43 Bills have been drawn by the non-official members of the Assembly, in the ballot that was held this morning, for introduction on the 26th August. Some of these Bills are the same such as the Bill to reserve the coastal traffic of India to Indian vessels and the Bill to provide for the prevention of deferred rebates.

The first place was drawn by Mr. A. Rangaswami Iyengar, the Swaraj Party Secretary, with a Bill to amend Sections 124 and 153-A of the Penal Code (the Sedition Section), in order to provide that nothing is seditious unless it contains a direct incitement to violence or breach of the peace.

Mr. M. K. Acharya has drawn the second place with a Bill to amend the Criminal Procedure Code (with a view prevent the abuse of Section 144-A). Both these are the Swaraj Party's Bills.

SARDAR MUTALIK'S COASTAL TRAFFIC BILL.

Sardar Pishnu Narayan Mutalik comes third. His Bill is to reserve the coastal traffic of India to Indian vessels. The other members, who have also drawn this measure are Mr. B. Das, Sir Hari Singh Gour, Mr. Amarnath Dutt, Mr. Jamnadas Mehta, Mr. C. Doraiswamy Iyengar, Mr. K. C. Neogy and Doctor Lohokare. The last named member has drawn fourth in the ballot a Bill to regulate medical education in India. The Deferred Rebates Bill is next on the list in the name of Mr. C. Doraiswami Iyengar, the other members who have also drawn it being Sir Hari Singh Gour and Mr. Jamnadas Mehta. Mr. B. Das stands sixth in the list with a motion to introduce a Bill to amend the Imperial Bank Act, which has already been published. Sir Hari Singh Gour has next a Bill to amend the Penal Code and the Criminal Procedure Code.

Mr. Jamnadas Mehta will move for leave to introduce a Bill to amend and extend the law relating to insurance companies.

A Bill to amend the Specific Relief Act of 1877 is in the name of Dewan Bahadur Ramachandra Rao who is twelfth in order. Moulvi Mahomed Yakub has a measure to amend the Succession Certificate Act, 1889. Dewan Bahadur Ramachandra Rao has also a motion for leave to introduce a Bill to make better provision for the transfer of immoveable property by Hindu widows and other female heirs.

There are other Swarajists, besides Messrs. Rangaswami Iyengar and M. K. Acharya, who have given notice of the same Bills that are in the names of these two members. They include Mr. Patel, Mr. Amarnath Dutt and Mr. Kumar Shankar Ray.

Pandit Syamlal Nehru will move for the introduction of a Bill to prohibit the export of cattle.

NOTICE OF QUESTIONS.

A fresh list of 172 questions given notice of by the non-official members of the Assembly has been issued.

Mr. B. Venkatpathi Razu has an interpellation asking when the Government propose to establish a Sugar Research Institute and a large demonstration factory as recommended by the Sugar Committee. He will also ask whether the Government propose to ask the Skeen Committee to report on the steps to be taken to establish an Indian Sandhurst, instead of merely considering the means of attracting the best qualified Indian youths to a military career.

Dewan Bahadur Ramachandra Rao will ask for the publication of the correspondence between the Government of India and the South African Government on the Colour Bar Bill and the Natal Boroughs Ordinance. He will similarly ask for the correspondence in regard to the withdrawal of the Transferred Subjects in Bengal.

Sir Purshottamdas Thakurdas has got several questions connected the position of Indians in Ceylon, their electoral qualifications and disqualifications. He will in particular ask what the object of the Ceylon Government is in excluding from the Indian constituency, on the ground of Ceylonese domicile, a number of Indians born in Ceylon.

Mr. Rangaswamy Iyengar like Dewan Bahadur Ramachandra Rao will demand the publication of the correspondence on the withdrawal of the Transferred Subjects in Bengal and also ask what steps are proposed to be taken in regard to the future administration of the Transferred Subjects in the Central Provinces. He will ask for papers connected with the consultations between Lord Reading and Lord Birkenhead on the political situation in India, what officers and heads of administration joined these consultations, the total expenditure involved, what part of it would be charged to the revenues of India and what part, to the revenues of England and how much of it is votable by the Assembly. He will ask for the publication of the correspondence regarding the Public Service Commission, and of the papers connected with the Conference of the Finance Members of the Local Governments in connection with the constitution of the Provincial Loans Fund.

INDIANISATION OF THE SERVICES.

Mr. Kumar Shankar Ray will ask what action the Government propose to take on the report of the Lee Commission with regard to the Indianisation and Provincialisation of the Services.

Mr. Gaya Prasad Singh will ask for the publication of the opinions received from the different Local Governments and Ministers on the subject of the Muddiman Committee since publication of its report. He will further ask the Government for the publication of the papers, connected with the question of the amalgamation of the Oriya speaking tracts, before any decision is taken on Philip-Duff Report.

MONEY MARKET.

EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

Bombay, Aug. 14.

B. C. RATE—
Bank's selling T T 1/6 1/32
Bank's selling D D 1/6 1/16

LONDON—
Bank's selling T T 1/6 3/32.
Bank's selling D D 1/6 1/8.
Bank's buying 3 M/st D A 1/6 11/32.
Bank's buying T T 1/6 1/8.
Bank's buying D D 1/6 5/32

PARIS—
Bank's selling D D Frcs. 755.
Bank's buying 3 M/st D A Frcs. 810.
Bank's buying D D Frcs. 795.

JAPAN—
Bank's selling T T Rs. 112¼.
Bank's buying 60 D/st D P Rs. 108¼

HONGKONG—
Bank's selling D D Rs. 158.

SHANGHAI—
Bank's selling D D Rs. 213.

SINGAPORE—
Bank's selling D D Rs. 157¼.

NEW YORK—
Bank's selling D D Rs. 276¼.

CROSS RATES—
London—New York Dol. 4.85 13/16
London—Paris Frcs. 103.90.
London—Switzerland Frcs. 25.00
London—Brussels Frcs. 108.00.
London—Rome Liras 134.00.
London—Berlin Marks 20.40.

TONE OF EXCHANGE—
Steady dull market.

London, August 13.
Tele. Transfers 1/6 1/8 steady.
Bar Gold £4.4 10½ steady.
Bar Silver Spot 32 1/8 steady.

London, Aug. 13.
Rentes 3 per cent. 47
Bar Silver (Spot) 32 1/8
Bar Silver 2 months hence 32 3/16
Closing Tone of Silver:—Steady.
Interest day to day loans 3 3/8
Interest 7 days market loans 3 1/2
Discount, Bank of England Rate 4 1 per cent. since 6th instant.

BOMBAY EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

Bombay, Aug. 14.
Bank Telegraphic 1-6 1/16.
Bank Demand 1/6 3/32.
Doc. Acceptance 3 m/s 1/6 11/32.
Frs. Demand 757.
American Dollars 274.
Hongkong Dollars 158.
Shanghai 213.
Japan 112¾.
Singapore 157¼
Tone.—Market steady.

EXCHANGE ON CONTINENTAL CENTRES.

MIDDLE QUOTATIONS.

London, Aug. 13.

Stockholm	18.08
Christiania	26.38
Amsterdam	12.08
Switzerland	25.01
Prague	163.87

London, Aug. 13.
Exhcange on London in Paris 103.95
Exchange on London in Germany 20.40 1/2
Exchange on London in Italy closed until 20/8/25.

New York. Aug. 13.
Demand Bills 4.85.50

MONEY.

Bombay, Aug. 14.
Call 1½ per cent.
1 month 1½ per cent.
3 months 1½ per cent.
6 months 3 per cent.
Tone of Money market.—Easy.

DISCOUNTS

London, Aug. 13.
Discount Bank Bills 3 m/st. 4
Discount Indian Bank Bills 6 m/st. 1/4
Discount Fine Trade Bills 3 m/st. 4 3/4
Disciunt Fine Trade Bills 6 m/st. 5 1/4

DISCOUNTS.

Bombay, Aug. 14.
3 months London discounts 4 p. c.
6 months London discounts 4.1/4 p. c.
Bank of England rate 4½ per cent.
Imperial Bank of India rate 4 per cent

STOCKS, ETC.

London, Aug. 13.
Funding Loan 4 per cent. 1960/90 £89 1/2
Victory Bonds 4 per cent. £92 —.1/8
War Loan 5 per cent. 1929/47 £101 7/4
Conversion Loan £78 —.1/8
Indian Lian 5 1/2 per cent. £101 1/2
Indian Loan 7 per cent. £105 1/2
Consols 2 1/2 per cent. 56 1/2
Rupee Paper 3 1/2 per cent. 51
Indian Stock 3 1/2 per cent. (Sterling Loan) 67 3/4
Govt Securities 3 per cent. 58 3/4

BULLION.

Bombay, Aug. 14.
Sovereigns ready Rs. 13/8.
Sovereigns forward Rs. 13/6/6.
Bar gold ready Rs. 21/5/6.
Bar gold forward Rs. 21/4/9.
Bar gold 2nd settlement Rs. 21-4/3.
Bar silver ready Rs 72/8.
Bar silver 1st settlement Rs. 72/5.
Bar silver 2nd settlement Rs. 72/3.

London. Aug. 13.
Bar gold ready s. 84-10½d.
Silver ready d. 32-2.
Silver forward d. 32.3.

TONE OF SILVER—
Quiet and steady. India bought for immediate shipment. Prices rose more from absence of sellers than pressure to buy. Very little business doing.

GOLD.

Bombay, Aug. 14.
Ready.—21.6.
Vaida Bhadrwa:—Opening 21-4-9. At 6 p.m. 21-4-9.
Vaida Asho:—Opening 21-4-6. At 6 p.m. 21-4-6.
Teji Mandi:—
Vaida Bhadwra:—Opening 0-1-6.
Vaida Asho:—Opening 0-2-6.
Tone of market:—Steady.

SILVER.

Bombay, Aug. 14.
Ready:—72-9.
Vaida Sravan:—Opening 72-9. At 6 p.m. 72-9.
Vaida Bhadrwa:—Opening 72-5. At 6 p.m. 72-5.
Vaida Asho.—Opening 72-3. At 6 p.m. 72-3.
Teji Mandi:—
Vaida Bhadwra:—Opening 0-8-0.
Vaida Asho:—Opening 0-15-0
Tone of market:—Steady.

MILL STORES.

Aug. 11.

The volume of business transacted in the course of the week indicates little improvement, the demand is poor and the consumers overstocked. Mills are very cautious buyers; prices from Home are still on a downward trend.
The quotations are:—
Healds—15/4os. Rs. 1-2-6.
Reeds Rs. 0-2-2.
Scroll Bandings Rs. 1-5-0.
Tubular Bandings No. 3 Rs. 1-12-6.
Ropes Rs. 1-13-0.
Slubbing tubes Wilson Rs. 49-0-0.
Roving tubes, Wilson Rs. 30-10-0.
Pirns Conical-5in. Wilson Rs. 17-8-0.
Pirns Universal Japan Rs. 6-0-0.
Pirns-Weft Japan Rs. 5-0-0.
Ring Rabbeth-5in.-Enamel Japan Rs 6-0-0.
Warper-Bobbins English Rs. 60-0-0.
Dobby Harness Rs. 19-0-0.

HARTAL CONTINUES AT PANIPAT.

APPEAL TO GOVERNOR.

LAHORE. August 13.

Although it is now about a fortnight that some disorders took place at Panipat on the occasion of Mohurrum as a result of which about three hundred Jats were arrested the Hindus have not opened their shops yet and strained feelings between the two communities, it is reported, are increasing every day. Several leaders of both the communities have already gone to Panipat to investigate the matter and the Punjab Khilafat Committee are also sending its representatives to make independent enquiry. Maulana Zafarali Khan, President of the Punjab Khilafat Committee and Ghasi Abdul Rehman, Secretary, Punjab Khilafat Committee and Chaudhri Afzal Haq, M.L.C., are leaving to-night for Panipat. Dr. Gokul Chand Narang, M.L.C., has sent the following telegram to the Governor of Punjab: "Hartal continuing at Panipat since first August Hindus are afraid of opening their shops for fear of loot. No assurance of security given. Local officials partisans, kindly intervene."—A. P.

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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

Aug. 14.
S S Morea, Fitzroy, London.
S S Badarpur, Younger, Rangoon.

DEPARTURES.

Aug. 15.
S S City of Calcutta, Henderson, Liverpool.
S S Kabinga, Readwin, Calcutta.
S S Risaldar, Park, Calcutta.
S S Genoa, Lavingmire, Genoa.
S S Delta, Sudell, London.

LOADING.

Aug. 14.
Steamer Morea for London.
Steamer Vita for Basreh.

VESSELS IN BOMBAY DOCKS.

(FRIDAY, AUG. 14.)

ALEXANDRA DOCK.

1 Khandala 3300 N.F. 19/8 M M & Co.
2 Morea 5946 London 29/8 M M & Co.
5 Treeste 3325, Trieste 17/8 L Triestino.
6 Ct Calcutta 4899, Karachi 15/8 K. N and Co.
7 Nurjehan 3379, Rangoon 21/8 T M & Co.
8 Stumfels 3834 Hamburg 23/8 L E Edwards Ld.
12 Hoogkerk 3170 K'chi 26/8 E D Sassoon & Co.
16 Colaba 3899 Genoa, 23/8 M M & Co.
16 Ct. Mackenzie 4142 N.F. 27/8 J F & A

VICTORIA DOCK

2 Petersbourg, 2706 N.F. M M & Co.
6 Jehangir 2297 Karachi, 13/8 T M Co.
15 Baroda 1899, P. Gulf 19/8 M M & Co
16 Jalaputra 3113 NF NF Scindia S N Co

PRINCE'S DOCK.

A Gazana 3191 Rangoon N.F. M. M & Co.
B Gerania 3313 K'chi 15/8 L Triestine.
F Dalgoma 3571 N.F. M. M. & Co
K Nordmaru 908 N. F. N.F. L Edwards.
G Hatarana 4592 Surdej N. F. M. M. & Co.
P Canara 3889 N F N F M M & Co.

LIST OF STEAMERS EXPECTED IN BOMBAY.

FROM GOTHENBURG

Tana due about 17th August, Agent Graham T Co.

FROM ROTTERDAM

Hoogkerk due about 12th August Agnt E D Sassoon Co.

FROM NEW YORK.

City of Auckland due about 17th August gent F F Campbell & Co.

FROM KOBE

Tamba Maru due about 15th August Agent N Y Kaisha.

EXPORT.

14-8-25.

S S Castelia for Liverpool:—36 bales wool, C Ghanshamdas, 136 bales wool, D Koondanmal; 35 bales wool, F F Campbell & Co. Ld 17 bales wool, Shamji Mal, 3 cwt ground nut oil cake, A. Bhanji Bros. 500 cwt myrabolum, P Mathuradas & Co. Ld. 760 cwt oil cake, R J Davir, 90 gram R J Davir, 90 cwt wheat flour, R J Davir 130 cwt cotton seed, Tamboli & Co. 83 bales wool, M. Mangulchand, 49 bales wool Cox & King's Shipping Agency Ld. 14 bales wool, K Esmail; 125 bales cotton, F F Campbell & Co. Ld. 2000 cwt oil cakes, F H Lele, 65 bales grey cotton yarn. The Swadeshi Mills Co. Ld. 150 bales cotton waste. V N Joshi.

For Salonica:—20 bales grey cotton yarn The Central India S W and M Co. Ltd.

For Piraeus:—5 bales grey cotton yarn. The Swadeshi Mills Co. Ld.

For Philadelphia:—208 casks goat skins Briskey Co

For Glasgow:—406 cwt heads and hoops Spencer and Co. Ld. 990 cwt massoor, Ralli Bros. 24 cwt shooks, heads, iron hoops, S S Miranda 1000 cwt ground nut oil cakes, Mussabhai and Co.

For Marseilles:—27 bales cotton Ralli Bros., 1500 cwt Lentils, E D Sassoon and Co. Ld. 10 bales cotton, Amin and Sons. 24 cwt cashew kernels, Tamboli and Co. 250 cwt gum olibanum, Y Moosabhoy 200 cwt cashew nuts, Y Moosabhoy, 52 cwt gum karaya, J Moolchand & Co.

S S Delta for London:—1 bundles woollen carpets. Grindlay and Co. Ld. 5 bundles woollen rugs, Grindlay and Co. Ld. 6 bundles woollen arpets, H A Aminoc; 60 bundles woollen carpets H Azidullahoff; 24 bundles woollen carpets H A Ebrahimoff 21 bundles lamb skins, H A Aminoff 6000 cwt cotton seed, Volkart Bros.

S S Sturnfels for Passages—80 bales cotton, Japan Cotton T Co. Ltd.

For Hamburg:—30 bales cotton fly, V A Save. 55 bales cotton by, C Piraj and Co. 6 pots Palma rosa oil, Volkart Bros.

For Antwerp:—200 cwt. mustard seed. Volkart Bros. 150 bales hemp, C Piraj & Co. 100 bales cotton fly, C Piraj and Co., 8 bales cotton fly, V A Save, 272 cwt. old hessein cuttings, Abdulla and Co. 105 cwt gum Arabic, N Mulji and Co. 56 bales cotton. G K Kaisha Ld. 301 bales cotton, Ralli Bros

S S Genova for Genoa:—2500 cwt. ground nuts. Strauss and Co. Ld.

S S Trieste for Trieste:—38 bales cotton yarn, R Motichand and Co. 110 bales cotton, The Patil Cotton Co. Ld. 825 bales cotton, Volkart Bros. 55 bales cotton, Japan Cotton T Co. Ld. 110 bales cotton, The Bombay Co. Ltd.

For Venice:—110 bales cotton, K Visram and Co. 110 bales cotton T M Kaisha Ld. 550 bales cotton, Volkart Bros.

S S Cairnhill for Dunkirk:—2200 tons manganese ore, James Finlay and Co. Ld.

S S Hoogkirk for Antwerp:—275 bales cotton, The Bombay Co. Ltd. 105 cwt. gum Arabic, N Mulji & Co. 4000 cw crush ed bones, F Ebrahim and Co. Ld.

For Rotterdam:—5998 cwt teelseed, Ralli Bros. 6000 cwt poppyseed Ralli Bros.

For Hamburg:—200 tons ground nut oil Asian Transit and Co. 1000 cwt linseed. Ralli Bros. 112 bales cotton G K Kaisha Ld.

For Ghent:—340 bales cottons, B Carsondas and Co.

S S Muncran Maru for Hongkong:—200 bales grey cotton twist, Sassoon J David and Co. Ltd.

For Kobe—23 bales cottons C Oomershi & Co. 700 bales cottons, Ozu Burin and Co. Ld.

For Osaka:—151 bales cotton, Amersey and Sons; 350 bales cotton Japan Cotton T Co. Ld.

For Nagasaki:—500 bales cotton, Japan Cotton T Co. Ld.

IMPORT

14-8-25.

S S Razmak from Marseilles. Agents M M & Co.:—
From London:—10 boxes bar gold, 20 boxes gold coins, 3 boxes sovereigns, 65 bars silver.
From Aden:—8 boxes specles.
From Marseilles:—120 cases vermouth, 20 cases castor oil, 50 cases gum 12 cases spirits, 18 cases esential oil, 227 cases mineral water, 108 cases motor glesseris; 12 cases silk yarn, 880 cases brandy, 47 cases aluminium discs, 45 cases olive oil, 200 kegs lead ore, 71 kegs colours, 80 weg litharge, 21 kegs dry aniline, 12 cases Art silk, 12 bales corks, 15 cases wine, 16 cases shoes, 250 bag almonds, 10 cases silk goods, 11 cases woollen lametta.
From Alexandria:—10 bales cotton.

S S Gamaria from Bassein. Agents M M & Co.:—
From Bessein—67788 bags Rice.
From Colombo:—50 bags pepper, 50 bags arcanuts. 503 bags copra.
Tutocorin:—126 bales cotton, 35 bales senna leaves, 80 bundles old empty gunnies.
From Cochin:—334 bundles cotton rope, 669 bundles cotton yarn.
From Calicut:—1053 bales cotton. 253 jottas cotton yarn, 20 cases fish oil, 1078 bags cocoanuts, 58 bags copra.

S S S Maur from Bangkok. Agents: F F Campbell and Co. Ld.:
From Bangkok:—1190 pieces teak planks 293 pieces teak squares, 31946 pieces teak scantlings, 1190 bundles teak scantling, 10 bundles raw silk 14 boxes rupees.

S S Narkunda from London. Agents:—M. M. and Co.:—
From London:—12 boxes sovereigns, 34 boxes bar gold. 16 boxes gold coin, 608 bars silver.
From Aden 3 boxes silver.

S S Genoa from Genoa. Agents:—Maurit tima Italiana:—
For Genoa:—21 cases Fez, 53 cases colours, 241 casks colours, 15 cases clocks 15 cases art silk, 24 cases art silk goods 10 cases silk embroideries, 41 case silver circle, 200 cases farina, 59 cases cotton embroideries, 14 cases battery, 12 cases Preserves 40 cases electric fans, 53 cases condensed milk, 11 cases cottons, 218 cases art. silk yarn, 10 bales art silk yarn 241 bales cotton piece goods, 166 cases cotton piece goods, 578 cases cotton and woollen goods, 56 bales cotton and woollen goods, 11 bales shawls, 23 bale woollen rags, 25 flasks quick silver, 28 crates marble tiles 159 slabs marble 10000 tiles marble 15 cases yarn, 50 bags chalk 187 barrels flouring tiles, 639 pieces rubber tires, 12 packages rubber circles.
For Naples:—15627 baskets potatoes. 25 cases liquor, 40 cases macceroni, 23 bales cotton and woollen goods.
From Aden:—37 bales cloves, 10 bales cow hides, 11 bales sheep skins, 40 bags gum myrah, 142 bags gum olibanum, 215 packages gum olibanum, 21 packages ivory, 10 pots empty perfumery.
From Port Said:—5 cases silk yarn, 4 cases cigarettes.

S S British Rose from Abadan. Agents Shaw Wallace and Co.:—
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S S Sunland from Calcutta. Agents Graham Trading Co. Ld.:—
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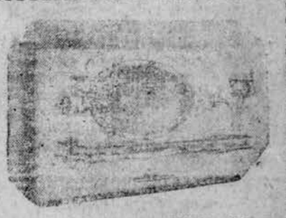

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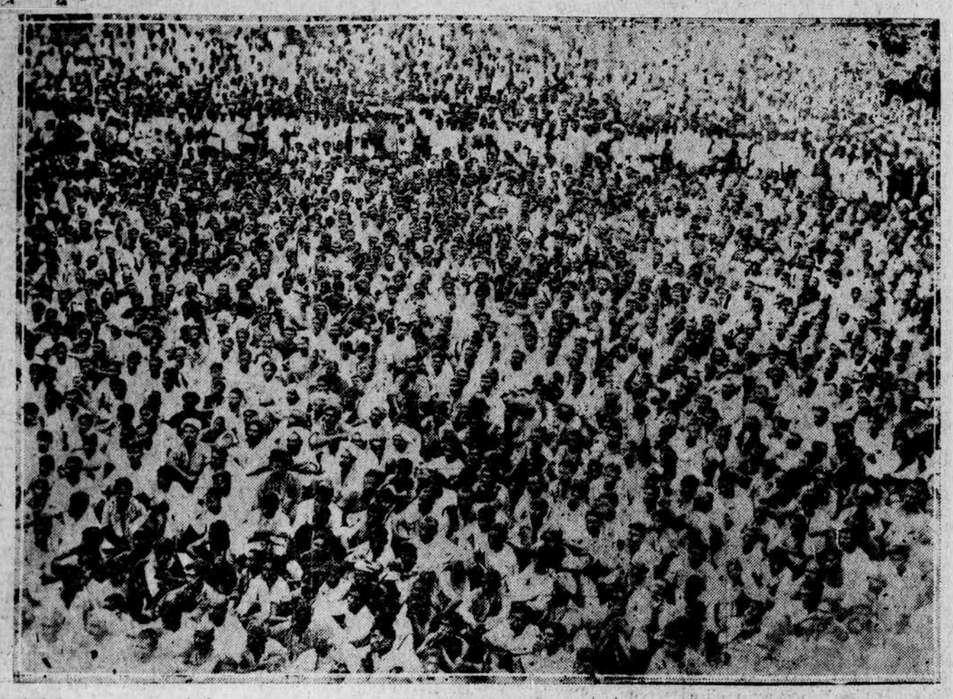

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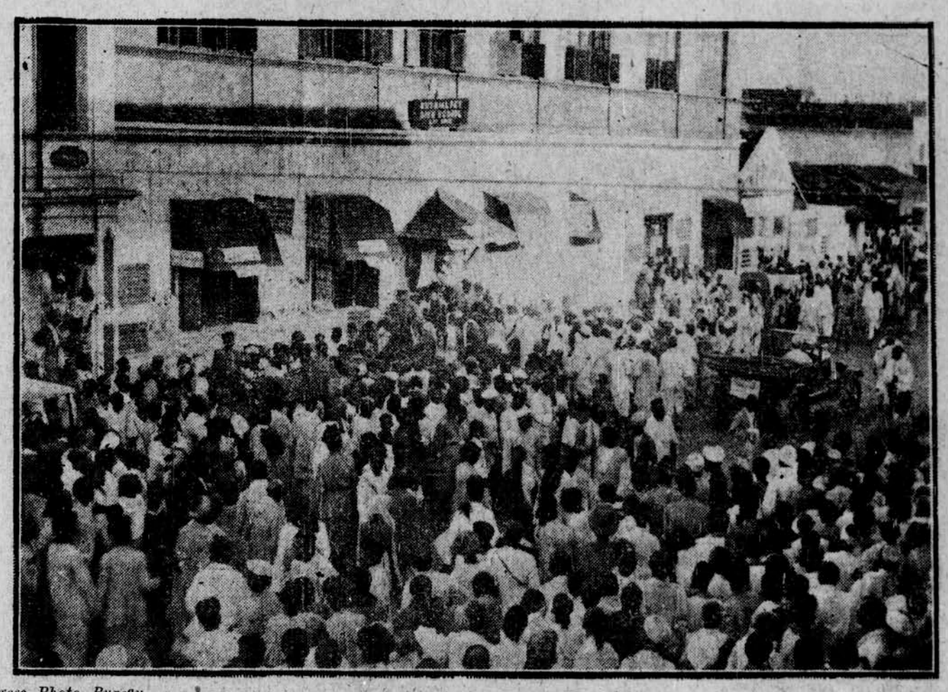
Workmen's ovation to Mahatma Gandhi at Tata Steel Works, Jamshedpur, on Sunday the 9th August.

SWARAJIST SUCCESSES.



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A view of the big demonstration held in Madras in honour of the Swarajya candidates who were returned by large majorities to the local Corporation.

DEFENCE OF INDIA.

ESSENTIAL OF SWARAJ

DR. DADACHANJI'S LECTURE.

Under the auspices of the Parsi Rajkiya Sabha Dr. K. K. Dadachanji delivered his second lecture on "Swaraj and Indianization of the Army in ten years" at the Marwadi Vidyalaya on Wednesday evening before a huge gathering. Although the time fixed for the lecture was 6-30 p.m. the hall was crowded to its utmost capacity and 6 p.m. and by 6-15 p.m. there was no room even to stand. Mr. B. F. Bharucha presided.

Mr. Bharucha at the outset in explaining the position of the Parsi Rajkiya Sabha with reference to the subject matter of the lecture said he was asked by some whether the Parsi Rajkiya Sabha stood for violence or non-violence. His reply was that the Parsi Rajkiya Sabha had always stood for non-violence. The Parsi Rajkiya Sabha, he said, in all their messages had maintained the principles of non-violence because they stood for it. Perhaps, it might be asked, "why should the Parsi Rajkiya Sabha then arrange lectures on warfare?" His reply was that because they were out to put down exploitation, self-aggrandizement and trusts of foreign countries.

Dr. Dadachanji in continuing the lecture said:—

As I said last Saturday at the start of my lecture the theme under discussion before us was a purely human and psychological one. Unless we understand the psychology of another people we cannot deal with them on their own terms. My main thesis should have made it clear that it was as much in the interest of the British Empire as of the Indian Nation to have Swaraj and a National Army for the Defence of India, within 10 years. Relying on the experience of the last war, as well as the declaration of the Government of India that "H.M.'s Government will come to India's assistance with the armed forces of the United Kingdom, only if it is humanly possible to do so." I showed that during the last war, instead of the British helping India, India went to the help of the British with 15 lakhs of men, and further that if the Government of India be not in a position to guarantee reinforcements from Britain during the course of another war, it is absolutely necessary that both the Government and the people of India should make preparations for meeting an emergency, otherwise India will have to be prepared to undergo the horrible frightfulness and the bitter experience of belligerent countries during the last world-war. Ther is no alternative to preparation for war other than national destruction. If Britain cannot supply reinforcements, India undoubtedly can, but on one condition, viz., that she should be granted Swaraj to defend which her children would be ready to sacrifice their all But if Britain continues her present policy of distrust no self-respecting Indian is likely to undertake military service. Mistrust breeds mistrust. Hence it will be clear that England and India both stand in need of each other. If India be granted Swaraj then there would be no mistrust, because the Government would then be National and every Indian would be ready to defend it and a grateful and loyal India will help in protecting the British Empire from its enemies

INDIANISATION.

By Indianisation of the Army, I do not mean the mere addition of 3,000 Indian Officers in the Indian Army, but militarisation of the whole nation. I have already explained during my first lecture that in modern times the Army is co-extensive with the nation and that if India is to take her proper place as a self-governing nation she will have to be militarised.

"Prepare or perish" is the lesson taught by every war, but still not learnt by Army Head Quarters in India! Hence if the Government as well as the Army Head Quarters fail in their duty owing to their deep rooted mistrust of Indians, the Assembly must find out some means of forcing them to do so. It is common-sense to suggest that if England be not in a position to supply reinforcements India must be prepared for the same.

Let me now present the plan of expansion of the Army of India based on the experience of other countries which would provide within 10 years a total of men trained to arms amounting to 1,712,500. The Army Head Quarters will no doubt call it an unpractical plan but in this world nothing is impossible or unpractical, if undertaken by practical men! Now we shall examine the cost of the enlarged Army, and I will show that without any increase in cost we can expand the Army from 200,000 to 1700,000 within 10 years. We know that during four years of the last war 15,00,000 new troops were raised.

Mr. Arthur Vincent gives India 50 years for Indianisation of the Army of Self-Defence, but we believe, at the outset of 10 years ought to suffice, if the Government of India be in earnest. For instance, 26 British Regular Battalion, which are at present a luxury in India, can be reduced at the rate of 2 Battalions per annum for the first four years, and 3 per annum for the next six years, and Indian Regular Battalions at the rate 4 per annum, for the next 10 years. If the reorganised I.T.F. be recruited at the rate of 75,000 a year for a term of four years, the country will always have its disposal 300,000 men total of the I.T.F., during the first four years, if the limit of the I.T.S. be fixed temporarily at 300,000 so that within the next 10 years, 75,000 men of the I.T.F. will have received sufficient training to replace during a war, 26,000 British and 58,000 Indian Ranks, reduced as above and also the whole Regular Army itself. So far as cost is concerned, a Territorial Battalion costs only about one-eight of a Regular Battalion according to the British Military Budget. Hence, for the total cost of the reduced 26 British Battalions which costs as much as 104 Indian Battalions plus 38 Indian Battalions equivalent to a total of 142 Battalions of the Line, India can have, for the same price 8 times as many, i.e. 136 Battalions of the Second Line. But in practice, 300 Battalions of the I.T.F. may be taken as sufficient; and and I.T.F. Reserve of 150,000 should be maintained.

MAINTANANCE COSTS.

Comparing the present cost of maintaining an Army with that of Japan for instance we find that out of a total revenue of 211 crores Japan spent on her Army 28 crores of rupees and on her may 30 crores of rupees, and thus for a total of Rs. 64 crores Japan maintains a standing Army of 250,000 which can be expanded to 20,00,000 in times of war. Thus Japan manages to have a national army which can be expanded to 20,00,000 and a Navy a sum which just suffices for a small Army, of 2 lakhs in India. Rs. 50 crores and of a Revenue of 130 crores.

MUNITION FACTORIES.

There is not much time to deal with the question of munitions, but as I said last time, an Army without munition is like an armless man or a cripple and just as defenceless in time of war. It is practically impossible to supply certain types of munitions of war which require skilled workmen and take time. It is easier to raise an army of millions than to equip that Army with a sufficiency of munitions. Hence, erection of Munition Factories in India must go hand in hand with the raising of a National Army. Disarmed Germany is in a position to equip an Army much larger than that employed during the last war within 12 months.

WHAT INDIA WANTED.

Mr. Bharucha, in thanking Dr. Dadachanji for his lecture, said he had set aside the illusion and delusion, India was suffering from at present. They did not have the British or the British nation but what they wanted was defence of India in the interests of their hearths and homes.

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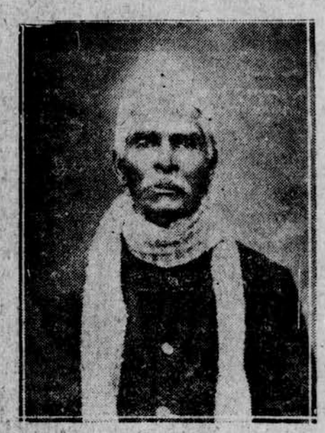
Left to Right: Mr. Ghosh, Chief Electrical Engineer; Dr. Chakravarti, Chief Medical Officer; Mahatma Gandhi.

GIANT KURD.

ARRIVAL IN BOMBAY WITHOUT PASSPORT.

When the B. I. S. N. steamer "Baroda" arrived in Bombay harbour on Wednesday, it brought among its passengers a Kurd of gigantic physique, his wife and a baby who possessed no passports. The police being apprised of the fact informed the Kurd, who was middle-aged with a long swinging beard, a cap with rounds of strings over it, that he would be transhipped back to his country according to the British law as he had not armed himself with a passport from the governing authorities of his country. This argument, however, was of no avail and he grew furious. He spoke broken English and refused to go back and in the struggle attempted even to throw his baby into the sea, but he was prevented from doing so by the police. His wife too at the time tried to jump off the railing of the vessel and that also was foiled by the police promptly. The Kurd wore a pair of military jack-boots and looked more like a Russian general than an ordinary Kurd of Kurdistan. In the afternoon, he was taken in a taxi to the head police office for police enquiries.

Mr. B. Satyanarayanan, a leading Swarajist, who has defeated Rao Bahadur. Thanikachalam Chetty, present President of the Corporation



Mr. Singaravelu Chettiar, Swarajya candidate, who has defeated Mr. R. Madanagopa Naidu.

PRIZE OF DELHI SCHEME.

POONA'S ENTHUSIASTIC SUPPORT.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

POONA, August 13.

A meeting of the citizens in Poona was held on Tuesday at the Bharat Itihasa Sanshodhak Mandal to consider the means for providing acequate opportunities and for providing encouragement to Indian artists and craftsmen. Mr. N. C. Kelkar presided. He explained the object of the meeting and said that the time had arrived when they should express with due emphasis and insistence their artistic needs. Probably, their demands were not, he added, the demands contemplated by higher authorities. It could not be disputed, however, that they were perfectly entitled to make the demands peculiar to their own artistic needs. He requested his audience to support the proposals for the encouragement of Indian art formulated by the Prize of Delhi Committee and moved the following resolutions:—"This meeting strongly recommends to the attention of the Government of Bombay and the Government of India the claims of Indian artists suggested in the scheme for the encouragement of Indian art framed by the Prize of Delhi Committee. This meeting condemns any action or attempt on the part of the Government of India or the Chief Architect or Engineer of New Delhi to deprive Indian artists on this side of their legitimate claims in the scheme and calls attention of the Government of Bombay to the necessity of taking prompt measures for ensuring the claims of Indian artists. This meeting calls attention of the India Society in London to the necessity of taking prompt measures on their part for the scheme proposed at the Conference on Indian art, organised by the Society at Wembley."

Mr. K. H. Vakil followed with an interesting description of the many things that were done in the dark for the ostensible purpose of encouraging India's artistic talent. The Government of India, he said, had, with them ever since 1922 proposals for the encouragement of Indian art from two quarters, Sir Edwin Lutyens and the Government of Bombay. But these proposals were until very recently kept more or less as a secret. Even when the Hon. Mr. Pheroze Sethna moved in 1924, a resolution in the Council of State for the encouragement of Indian art he was not informed of the existence of those proposals. He was merely consoled with the assurance that the Government were in search of the "requisite type" of artists. It was only during the last sessions of the Council of State when Mr. Haji Haroon Jaffer moved once again a similar resolution for the encouragement of Indian artistic talent that Mr. Lev after an elaborate rigmarole on the fundamentals of art published for the first time the fact that the Government were "in fact" considering a scheme for the encouragement of Indian art suggested by the Architect of New Delhi. The fact that the Government of Bombay had also addressed them on the subject was not even then made public. It was the Architect of New Delhi, whose credentials so far as knowledg and insight into Indian artistic conditions were concerned were an unknown quantity, and his circle of admirers who were given the authority and the preference over the Government of Bombay, who were also given the opportunity to formulate in secret proposals in direct opposition to popular opinion and demands. No civilised and self-respecting country could, he added, witness with equanimity a phenomenon similar to the phenomenon which enabled a group of architects and engineers practically unknown to the world of Indian art, unfamiliar with Indian artistic conditions and innocent of popular requirements and traditions to trifle with the future of Indian arts and crafts. It would be soon evident how these benefactors who, thought, naturally, in terms not of thousands but of lakhs of rupees for the scheme ostensibly for the encouragement of Indian art were contemplating "advice" by highly paid "visitors" from abroad irresponsible to and unknown to the people of this country. A nation's art embodied, he said, the highest aspirations of the spirit that constituted the nation. It chronicled and perpetuated the highest flights of national imagination and the noblest moments and impulses of the national soul. In supporting the proposals for the encouragement of Indian art framed by the Prize of Delhi Committee they were merely asserting their indisputable rights and protecting the cultural heritage and future of the country from interference and injury by agencies alien in sympathy and understanding and therefore entirely incompetent in their direction. Mr. Vakil was followed by other speakers and the resolution was passed unanimously.

Mr. K. H. Vakil during his visit to Poona gave three interesting lectures on "Conceptions in Art" illustrated with magic lantern slides. The Bandhu Samaj, the Students' Union and the Itihas Sanshodhak Mandal, the institutions which invited him to speak on the subject, expressed an interest and response which could be taken as an earnest of the increasing interest in Indian art manifest in the city of the Peshwas.

SUNNIS' COMPLAINT AGAINST SHIAS.

ALLAHABAD, August 13.

The Sunnis of Karachi and Manjanpur in Allahabad district have made an application to the District Magistrate of Allahabad making allegations against the Shias of the place and praying that the Shia practice of reciting Tabarra be unconditionally stopped.—A. P.

BENGAL COUNCIL'S NEW PRESIDENT.

DECLINES PERMISSION FOR CONGRATULATORY SPEECHES.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

CALCUTTA, August 13.

The first elected President of the Bengal Legislative Council struck a characteristic note when in to-day's Council he declined to permit any congratulatory speech on his election. With firm voice he said: "Some members of this Council have approached me for permission to offer me felicitations, but I am sure this is not the time, nor the occasion for it. I shall only be thankful if I prove worthy of it, and you can cherish the same sentiment towards me when at the end of the term we part. I am very sorry I cannot now comply with the request. Election itself proves that you repose some confidence in me, and for it I am sincerely thankful to you all."

The President in a pathetic tone uttered the last sentence knowing that he had no sufferage of Swarajists. Sir Evan Cotton the retiring President took the Chair. No sooner did the Council meet and it was announced that the Governor had approved of the appointment of Kumar Shibsekhareshwar Roy Mr. Roy approached the Presidential Chair Sir Evan Cotton warmly shook the hand of Kumar and from the floor made a bow and left the Chamber. The New President paid an eloquent tribute to Sir Evan, who was his father's friend and know him from boyhood.

ELECTION APPROVED BY GOVERNOR.

CALCUTTA, August 13.

The first elected President of the Bengal Legislative Council presided over the discussion of the Council to-day, his election having been approved by the Governor. After taking his seat Kumar Shibsekhareswar Roy paid an eloquent tribute to Sir Evans Cotton, the retiring president. He nedt expressed sorrow at the death of Mr. Mahendranath Roy, C.I.E., an old member of the Council. Legislative business consisted of the reference of the Howrah Bridge Bill to a select committee of 24 members and the introduction and passing of the Bengal Highways Bill. The Hon. Sir Abdur Rahim introduced a bill further to amend the Dacca University Bill. There were several amendments which were being discussed when the Council adjourned. —A. P.

SIR SURENDRANATH.

AHMEDABAD MUNICIPAL BOARD'S CONDOLENCE.

AHMEDABAD, August 13.

A meeting of the Municipal Board held this evening passed a resolution placing on record its deep cause of loss at the sad and sudden demise of Sir Surendranath Bannerji who was a veteran Congressman, a great patriot, educationalist and journalist. The meeting then adjourned without transacting any further business as a mark of respect to the memory of the departed patriot.—A. P.

"MAHARASTRA" EDITOR'S APPLICATION REJECTED.

NAGPUR, August 14.

Mr. Halifax, Judicial Commissioner, has rejected the application of the Editor of the "Maharashtra" in the suit lodged against him by an honorary magistrate praying for the transfer of the case on the ground that the complainant and other honorary magistrates had made common cause and the trying magistrate had said in the open court that the Editor's conduct in disclaiming the responsibility was not quite good. The Judicial Commissioner in rejecting the application remarked that the transfer of the case would probably be taken as acceptance of the monstrous and impossible aspersion on all officers of Government in Chanda district and indeed in the whole of India.—A. P.

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POONA NOTES.

MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

POONA, Aug. 13.

There have not been municipal meetings for some time past. But this is the lull which generally precedes the coming of a storm. Since the Jedhe Section of the non-Brahmin party of Poona entered the arena of civic affairs, municipal metings have been far more interesting than they used to be. There is always something sensational in the air. There is soon going to come up before the Municipal Council for discussion the long advertised Fule-Statue resolution of Mr. Jedhe. It is to come up, I understand, on the 4th September, and immense war preparations are at present going on! The resolution proposes to erect a statue to the late Mr. Jotiba Fule at a cost of something like Rs. 20,000 to the Municipal exchequer. It is not very easy to see what makes citizen Mr. Jedhe so anxious to see a statue erected to Mr. Fule. As far as it is possible to-day to know anything of Mr. Jotiba Fule, one can say that he was a person of a little knowledge and he wrote the first famous anti-Brahmin book, the old Testament (if one can use such an expression) of the Satyasamaj people. Though he made a little noise in his days in the sixties he never put before his flock any constructive programme of work. His work was sectional and as such it is difficult to see what entitles him to a public statue. Other members have also sent in resolutions proposing statues, busts, etc., to various other persons. One cannot make head or tail out of this whole affair of statues and busts. Since the erection of the statue of the late Lokmanya, the extreme section of the Poona non-Brahmins have been itching for something and at last Mr. Jodhe seems to have struck on the fine idea of the Fule-Statue. His one pre-eminent claim to a public statue is that he was in his own day a red hot anti-Brahmin like Mr. Jedhe. That claim cannot certainly be ignored in this age of non-Brahmin enlightenment.

INDUSTRIAL ACTIVITY.

Though not a place of industrial activity, it is going to have, it appears, a little of this sort of activity too. Recently a joint-stock company has been formed here under the name and style of "The Bharat Knitting Works, Ltd." to manufacture on a larger scale knitted fabrics such as frocks, socks, drawers, etc., by means of power-driven automatic achinery. India annually imports 40,00,000 of Rs. worth of knitted articles and they come mainly from Hongkong, China, Japan and United States. There are less than half a dozen factories in India manufacturing these articles and so far as we are aware there is none is Maharashtra. This is therefore in every way a welcome enterprise.

Mr. N. C. Kelkar has left Poona for the Simla session of the Legislative Assembly.

"LAND REVENUE ASSESSMENT COMMITTEE.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—With reference to Mr. Patel's letter on the above subject which appeared on the 5th instant, without wishing to enter into controversy on the subject, may I call attention to the main points, which are:

(a) that according to the figures given by him the incidence of the assessment on the total expenditure is less than 4 per cent., hence the arguments that the assessment is a heavy burden on the cultivator and that any great benefit would be derived by its reduction by even 50 per cent. are disproved by these very figures;

(b) that the British Settlement Officers have made an enormous reduction in the assessments over those which existed under the previous rulers and that they are therefore entitled to gratitude instead of abuse.—Yours, etc.,

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LATE MR. K. T. TELANG.

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION.

Glowing tributes were paid to the memory of the late Mr. Justice Telang at the anniversary celebrations held under the auspices of the Gowd Saraswat Brahmin Sabha on Wednesday. The Hon. Mr. Justice Mirza Ali Akbar Khan presided on the occasion.

The President in the course of a highly eulogistic review of Telang's life said that Gokulashtami day shall ever remain sacred as the anniversary of the birth of Lord Shri Krishna and as far as the city is concerned it would be associated also with the death anniversary of Mr. K. T. Telang who played an important part in the political, social and educational life of the city. The times in which Telang lived were different from the times in which they were and although some of the activities in which Telang was engaged might have lost their significance, yet the life of a man like Telang would continue to be an inspiration to young men to this day. Many among the audience might not have the privilege of knowing the late Mr. Telang for many of them were not born when Telang died. But to such as knew the late Mr. Telang, his memory was as vivid to this day as if he had died yesterday. His scholastic attainments were so great that the Government offered him the post of head master of one of their institutions, which was a great thing in those days but Mr. Telang declined that offer and dedicated his life to the service of his Motherland. No doubt if Mr. Telang had accepted the offer, he would have been the means of inspiring young persons who had passed the portals of that institution with his lofty ideals.

Proceeding, the President said that at the bar to which he was nominated, Mr. Telang brought eminent qualities. The High Court held him in the highest esteem and regarded him as their equal if not superior. He soon came to be regarded as an authority on Hindu Law. But the profession of law was to him a side-show, for he threw himself heart and soul in the public activities of the country.

A SOCIAL REFORMER.

The late Mr. Telang was a great social reformer who was greatly influenced by scientists and rationalists like Herbert Spencer and as such he put everything to the test of reason and science. That was exemplified in the great part he took in connection with the Age of Consent Bill which encountered severe opposition.

Telang was a great social and economic reformer. His advocacy of Free Trade needed little recapitulation and in the political sphere he co-operated with eminent personalities as Sir Phirozeshaw Mehta and Mr. Badruddin Tyabji of his time who brought about the birth of the Indian National Congress. He did yeoman's service as Secretary to the Bombay Presidency Association and took a leading part in drafting vigorous representations to Government regarding measures which he considered were conducive to the progress of the country.

Mr. Justice Mirza in conclusion declared that the life of Mr. Telang exemplified the salying of Thomas Carlyle, "Give me the hero and you can make anything of him." His life was the life of a hero, whatever he touched he turned it to something superlative. As a man of letters he was eminent beyond other men of letters. As a statesman and a politician he was eminent beyond other statesman and politicians. As a lawyer he surpassed everybody and as a judge his judgments reported in the Law Reports were classical. His life must always remain an inspiration to them—an inspiration to the young to do their best for their society, community and country.

Mr. Jamnadas Dwarkadas who next addressed the meeting on the life and life-work of Mr. Telang emphasised that one of the outstanding characteristics of the great leader was that he always tested his emotion, enthusiasm or sentiment before the bar of reason and commonsense and put forward before the public balanced ideas which would not only convince all for all time to come but would have a permanent place in the life of a nation's history. The speaker deplored that that great quality was sadly lacking in the present day politicians who had not the capacity to exercise self-restraint in the manner in which Telang did. With the departed patriot work for the country could not be divided into water-tight compartments and no one was more enthusiastic for the progress and advancement of the country in all its branches than he. The greatest legacy said Mr. Jamnadas, that was left behind by Mr. Telang was his unblemished and spotless character. He was not wedded to any particular community or sect and it must be held for all time to come that one thing that dominated all his activities was the fundamental belief in God, in spirituality, in the recognition of everyone as the spark of the divine fire.

Mr. V. N. Naik moved a vote of thanks to the President.

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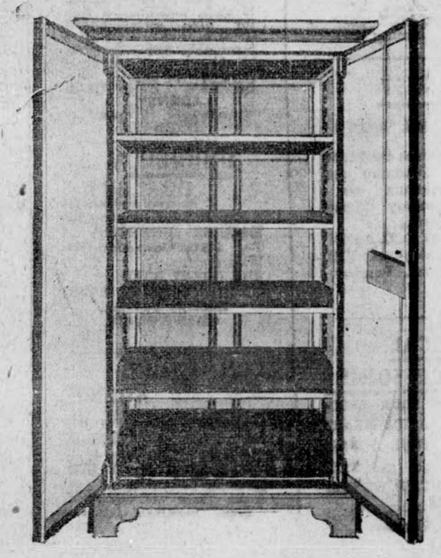

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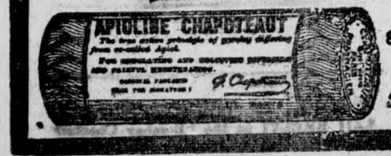

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In the library a young lady showed me a voluminous collection of works on international jurisprudence. It reminded me of Lord Rosebery's saying that a library is a cemetery of dead books. For there was no life, no quickening spirit here.

Around the guide, who spoke several languages, the visitors jostled, each group trying to get information in their own tongue. Traces of international discord appeared when one section secured more than their fair share. On the table in one room stands a glass case containing a facsimile of a cheque for 1,500,000 dollars which has made the Peace Palace possible. About it cluster visitors from all nations doing reverence to Peace and Mammon. A huge bronze Christ of the Andes, given by Argentina, overlooks the entrance hall, with its back to the splendour, and gazes down with eyes of understanding pity at human self-satisfaction represented by the white bust of Andrew Carnegie, opposite.

An American millionaire, aided by world contributions, has built this grand orphanage for the exile among the nations. It is swept and garnished. Its spacious halls and shining corridors are open to sightseers, but the Angel of Peace—whtre is she? I did not see her gliding up the drive from the Carnegie Lane.

Not far away is a statue of Spinoza. He sits listening and looking for that peace and harmony of which he dreamt long ago. It remains a dream. In the centre of the town a rag-fair was in progress and no one cared about peace. They were too intent on a good bargain.

A TURKISH DIVORCE SUIT.

DOMESTIC TANGLES.

The "Manchester Guardian" publishes the following report sent by its Constantinople correspondent:—

Scene—a Turkish divorce court. The President calls a young Turkish woman, Saimi hanum, who is demanding a divorce from her husband, and invites her to explain.

"I married this man," she says, pointing to sullen-looking Yacoub agha, "and then separated from him."

President: "And then you married him a second time?"

Saimi hanum: "Yes; but later I learnt that he had also remarried his second wife, from whom he had separated to remarry me. When I remarried him I suspected that this might happen, and, as I didn't believe in his word, I took the precaution of getting him to sign an agreement whereby I could consider myself as *de facto* divorced if my husband contracted marriage with another woman after our union."

President: 'What happened to this agreement?"

Saimi hanum: "He broke it by marrying his second wife again over my head."

President: "So you claim that your divorce is an accomplished fact by virtue of the broken agreement?"

"Yes, sir, and that means that I must get back my dowry of 15 Turkish pounds the right to do so?"

The President requests her to be seated, and reads out the agreement which was duly signed between the two parties before the Council of Elders of their quarter. Yacoub agha is then invited to explain.

President: "What have you to say?"

Yacoub agha: "What have I to say? I say that I don't know anything about any such conditions. (The wily and changeable husband is going to plead that he does not know how to read and write, and that he did not realise what was being done when the agreement was signed.) I never took any engagement of the kind. I never promised that I wouldn't marry another woman. Why should I?"

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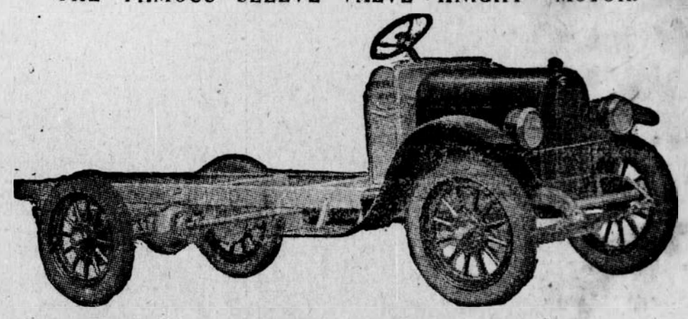

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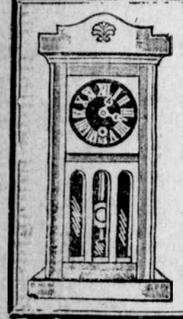

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